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## LA GASCOGNE SAFE

### The Anxiety Over the French Liner at Last Relieved.

### HER ARRIVAL AT NEW YORK.

### The Steamer Twice Delayed by Breaks in Her Machinery.

### ALL ON BOARD WELL AND HAPPY.

**On the Third Day Out One of the Vessel's Main Piston Rods Was Broken, Necessitating a Delay of Sixteen Hours and Subsequent Slow Progress—On Tuesday of Last Week the Machinery Again Broke Down—The Passengers at No Time Alarmed.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Not since the Cunard liner Umbria was reported two years ago after a perilous voyage across the Atlantic with a broken shaft has there been such excitement in this city as last evening. In every club, in almost every house in the city the sole topic of conversation was the arrival of the overdue steamer La Gascogne, the hope of whose safety on the terrible storms which have caused such terrible disasters in the maritime world had almost deserted the hearts of the most sanguine.

The rejoicing was naturally great at the French quarter. The saloon room of La Gascogne can't be, was handed the sufferings of her passengers, the prohibitions of mutterings were all examinated over and over again, but the one air feeling was that of joy at what was considered by all as nothing less than a miracle.

The offices of the French line were packed with excited people, lovers, relatives or friends of those on board the disabled steam-ship so anxiously expected for weeks past and almost given up for lost. A long list was posted up for last

[LA GASCOGNE'S ENGINE.]

hour, and when it was known that all on board were safe and well the excitement was at its height. One old gentleman who had three daughters on board the La Gascogne and who had not definitely heard of any of them for a month ago, wept as if his heart would break.

Outside the steamship docks, thousands of people thronged the docks, until the La Gascogne arrived and it was only when a conspicuous person in charge was seen on the outside of the vessel's superstructure that she would not be quarantined until this morning that the anxious watchers slowly went to their homes.

Yesterday last night the tug Erown M Mallard carried a party of newspaper men down to Quarantine to meet the vessel. Lying at anchor with three red lights running from her foremast as a signal that she was disabled. Her passengers were all on deck, some of them singing and most of them looking as persons are wont to do when their minds are suddenly relieved of a heavy strain. For three days of a voyage fearfully stormy driven ship had been disabled once by machinery breaks having broken on her third day out from Havre.

**Delayed for Sixteen Hours.**

For sixteen hours on the fatal third day the vessel's hopeless and the break was being repaired. It was comparatively good weather when the break occurred, but the disabled steamer was fated to run into some of the maniest weather of her voyage.

When the break had been repaired the steamer proceeded on her way, but under greatly reduced speed. When near the banks of New Foundland La Gascogne ran into a gale that increased to hurricane force. While off Sable Island, Feb. 5, the machinery broke down again, and the steamer again was hove to, this time for forty-one hours. During all that period the engines did not make a single revolution. When the second repairs had been made the steamer started ahead once more, under still further reduced power, and headed towards Long Island coast.

It is a remarkable fact that during the entire voyage across the Atlantic La Gascogne did not sight a steamer until she passed one bound for Philadelphia late on Sunday. Late yesterday afternoon the French steamer signalled Fire Island and then proceeded towards Sandy Hook light ship.

While the passengers were considerably worried on account of the delay, there was never a panic among them. They knew that their ship was a staunch one and they had every confidence in their captain. And besides, they knew the ship was not totally disabled. But they were nervous and apprehensive at times, and they hailed the conclusion of their voyage with joy. They cheered the captain and they cheered the crew and they cheered the newspaper men who went to meet them.

Following is a copy of the official log of La Gascogne, copied by one of the passengers and thrown overboard in a bottle. It shows the number of miles reeled off every twenty four hours:

Jan 27, 419 miles, Jan 28 407, Jan 29 389 Jan 30 no, Jan 31, 215, Feb 1 255, Feb 2 281, Feb 3 213 Feb 4, 156 Feb 7, 105; Feb 8, 193; Feb. 9, 131; Feb 10, 79, Feb 11 15

**Statement of a Passenger.**

At the request of a reporter Mr. Mix, a representative of the Thomson-Houston Electric company, one of the cabin passengers, hastily wrote out the following statement which he threw aboard the tug:

"All went well until Jan 29, three days after sailing from Havre, when the ship was stopped, and the passengers, on inquiry as to the cause, were informed that a part of the machinery had broken down. The information was a surprise to the passengers, as there had been no shock or noise sufficient to cause alarm. We learned that the piston of one of the intermediate cylinders had been broken, thus incapacitating the entire machinery. We lay to for sixteen hours, while the full corps of engineers worked on the fractured cylinder. A brass sleeve was slipped over the fracture and bolted in position and in this way the engineers were enabled to again start up the engines.

The broken cylinder and its companion could not be used, however, and as steam was cut off from the boiler of the engines the speed was reduced one half. Even at this rate we were further handicapped by being compelled to stop every twelve hours to replace the brass linings, which were continually wearing out under the strain.

"All would have gone well but for a terrible strain which beset the disabled vessel on the 4th of this month. It struck us while we were lying to making repairs. The vessel pitched and tossed frightfully in the gale, and for the first time since the breakdown the passengers began to feel uneasy. The engineers were unable to work because of the violent tossing of the ship. It was impossible to handle the heavy pieces of machinery. For forty-one hours the vessel lay to, while the engineers did their utmost to make temporary repairs again. It was impossible to make as perfect a job as at first and we had to reduce our speed to 200 miles a day.

"This made progress exceedingly slow, and we were further impeded by the constantly recurring gales. The weather was frightful. A gale gardened with sleet and snow came out of the west with terrific force and the vessel pitched and tossed in the ferment. Passengers and crew alike realized our serious position then, and for the first time signals of distress were displayed. We also indicated by signals that we were disabled, but it was not until yesterday that we signaled a vessel. She was an English steamship. She answered our signals, but proceeded on her way. She was too far away to understand that we required assistance. But for the storm the passengers would not have experienced any anxiety.

**A Hearty Welcome to New York.**

It was after midnight when La Gascogne reached the bar where she anchored for the night. This morning the vessel was towed to this city by the tug Hustler, reaching her wharf shortly after 8 o'clock. As she passed up the bay the steamer received a noisy welcome from the whistles of vessels in the harbor and as the passengers landed the welcome was repeated in the cheers of waiting thousands.

La Gascogne left Havre on the morning of Jan 27. There were 75 passengers in the first cabin, 14 in the second and 115 in the steerage.

The officers of the steamer La Gascogne are Baudelon commander, Blanquis, second captain, Gonnet, first officer, Peron, second officer, Landegren, third officer, Martin, chief engineer, Le Bars, second engineer; Gouverne, third engineer, Haman, fourth engineer, Japeth purser, Durandeau, assistant purser, Gervais doctor.

La Gascogne is a two masted, steel, screw steamer. She registers 4 311 tons net and 7 440 tons gross. Her dimensions are 480 feet length, 53 8 feet beam and 34 1 feet depth of hold.

**Another Missing Steamer.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12 — Considerable anxiety is felt in this city and Jacksonville for the safety of the steamer City of St. Augustine, Captain Gaskill. Since she sailed from Jacksonville on Jan. 30 no word has been received about her. She should make the voyage in from four to five days, and is now consequently about seven days overdue. Her crew numbers fourteen men. The vessel is engaged in the lumber carrying trade between New York and Jacksonville.

**The Slaughter of the Seals.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—The president to-day sent a message to congress in response to a senate resolution requesting [illegible] correspondence relative to the killing of seals in Behring sea. The message and correspondence is accompanied by a letter from the secretary of the treasury in which he says: "Reports of seals killed by pelagic hunters in the north Pacific ocean and Behring sea during the season of 1894 at Pribilof islands, part of this number about 6,000 were killed in Behring sea and on the Asiatic side of the north Pacific ocean. He also states that 21,000 seal skins were taken on the Pribilof islands by the North American Commercial company. The official figures point to the number of killed on the Commander islands at 27,285.

**Pacific Cable Bill Introduced.**

WASHINGTON, Feb 12—A bill to incorporate the International Pacific Cable company for a cable from California to the Hawaiian islands and thence to Japan and other points in the Pacific and the main lands of Asia and Australia was introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Charles W. Stone, of Pennsylvania. Nothing in the act shall be construed to commit the United States to any financial liability. The bill includes an authorization for 5 per cent. bonds to the amount of $20,000,000, to constitute a first lien on the property, and provides for an annual report of the company's affairs to the secretary of the treasury.

**Murder and Suicide by Drowning.**

PITTSBURG, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Amelia Seibert, wife of William Seibert, of Coreopolis, was drowned yesterday, together with her two children, a girl and a boy, aged respectively 5 years and 9 months. The coroner's jury decided that, instead of an accident as at first reported, the calamity was murder and suicide. Mrs. Seibert was laboring under temporary aberration of mind.

## IN SENATE AND HOUSE

**Both Branches of Congress Discussing Appropriation Bills.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The financial question again came forward in the senate yesterday when Mr. Hill (N. Y.) presented a resolution denying the policy of the government to pay its bonds in gold in case the parity between gold and silver could not be successfully maintained. Mr. Stewart (Nev.), representing the radical silver element, submitted a counter resolution declaring that the government had no legal right to pay for gold to silver. The resolutions went over under the senate rules, but they offer an opportunity for a renewal of spirited conflict over the financial situation. Most of the day was spent on the postoffice appropriation bill, a spirited contest being made against the senate amendment giving the postmaster general discretion in expending the $3,200,000 for railway postal routes. There is such freedom of debate in the senate that Mr. Allen (Neb.) branched off into an elaborate presentation of the alleged frauds in the last Alabama election. Mr. Pettigrew (S. D.) presented a resolution directing the president to secure private counsel to prosecute the rights of the government against the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads. The senate had not completed the postoffice appropriation bill up to the time of adjournment.

The legislative appropriation bill, to which the house devoted yesterday, was completed save for the paragraph relating to the pension office. Several amendments were agreed to, among them to allow the public printer to bid for the work of publishing The Patent Office Gazette; to allow courts of appeals to use half the surplus fees of the clerks of said courts for the purchase of law books; to establish a refinery at the Helena, Mont., assay office for separating gold and silver and molding them into ingots, bars, etc., and to refer the claims of the Cherokee nation for moneys due under early treaties to the attorney general for review. A bill to provide for coinage at the branch mint at Denver was passed.

**School Teacher Frozen to Death.**

LYONS, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Davis, the teacher of the district school three miles north of this village, was found yesterday frozen to death in a snow bank, where she had lain since Friday morning. The teacher boarded two miles from the school house and on account of the storm Thursday decided to stay over night in the school house. No tidings of the woman having since been heard a searching party was organized yesterday, and about a mile from the school house her body was found. It is believed that she started for her boarding house through the blizzard on Friday morning. Mrs. Davis was about 25 years old.

**Frozen to Death in a Haystack.**

BRYAN, O., Feb. 12.—While breaking into a stack of hay that was wintered in an unused barn Gideon Falls, a farmer living a short distance from this town, discovered the bodies of two men who had evidently taken shelter in the barn during the storm last week and had been frozen to death. On the clothing of one of the men, who was apparently about 35 years of age, was a traveling card of the Metal Workers' union, Denver, Colo., issued to Frank P. Hart. Nothing was found on the other to enable identification.

**Nine Prisoners Break Jail.**

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 12.—Nine prisoners escaped from the officers of the Athens county jail yesterday. They bored out a panel of the inside door of the jail, giving access to the outer door. Six of the nine were in for burglary. Four went east on the Baltimore and Ohio and crossed the river at Belpre. Officers are in close pursuit. The principal prisoners are Joseph Richardson, John Rasmusson, Frank Conroy, William Nelson, Isaiah Moon and Howard Bowen.

**Eight Sailors Rescued.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Pilot boat America arrived here today with the crew of the schooner Rose Esterbrook, of Boston, eight in all. On Saturday the America sighted the schooner flying signals of distress, bore down to her and stood by for sixteen hours until 2 a. m. on Sunday, when she succeeded in rescuing the crew of eight men. Fifteen minutes after the rescue the schooner sank from sight.

**Looks Like a Murder Case.**

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 12.—C. A. Watkins was found dead in his house in the southern part of town yesterday. He had evidently been dead some days, and the indications are that he was murdered. There is a bruise on the forehead as from the blow of a blunt instrument. Watkins had some money when last seen, and no trace of it can now be found.

**To Sail the Cup Defender.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The old sea dog Captain Tom Hall has been engaged to sail the cup defender. It is said that Hall's respective associate will be Captain Hank Haff, who sailed the Vigilant.

**Austria's Field Marshal Dying.**

VIENNA, Feb. 12.—Archduke Albrecht field marshal of Austria is reported to be dying from complication of diseases.

## NUGGETS OF NEWS

Revolutionists are advancing on Lima the capital of Peru.

During a fire in Chicago [illegible] were injured several seriously, three mortally.

Mary Cuff colored, froze to death while cutting wood near her cabin at Hollins, Va.

Mexico is willing to submit the question of indemnity from Guatemala to arbitration.

Twenty one of the twenty three Armenians recently tried at Erzinghiam have been condemned to death.

Mississippi's gubernatorial contest is now in the hands of a legislative committee. Meantime Governor Turney retains the office.

Mgr. Lord Vicar General May died in Brooklyn last night aged 68. He had been pastor of Holy Trinity church for over thirty years.

## THE BOND MESSAGE.

### The House Ways and Means Committee Still Undecided.

### PROSPECTS OF AN AGREEMENT.

**Secretary Carlisle Before the Committee Today to Explain the Latest Bond Contract—Action Predicted on Which Democrats and Republicans Can Unite.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The house committee on ways and means held another conference over the president's bond message yesterday, and again adjourned without reaching any conclusion, but with a brighter prospect for agreement ahead of it. Today Secretary Carlisle will appear. It is expected with the contract for the sale of the forthcoming bond issue to settle a question which arose at yesterday's meeting.

Democratic members of the committee prophesy that the Republicans will unite with them on a plan. This belief is based on no definite statement from the opposition, but on the general demeanor of the Republicans and the sight of Mr. Reed in conference with Mr. Cockran for an hour. The Republican contingent took small part in the proceedings, and individually its members are diplomatic in speaking of their intentions. If Mr. Reed has arrived at any understanding with the administration men, as was freely rumored, he has done it, his colleagues say, on his personal responsibility.

Most of the time yesterday was consumed in a discussion of a plan offered by Mr. Cockran to meet the present emergency and possible exigencies of the future, which would confer large discretionary powers upon the executive branch of the government. He made it as a verbal proposition, but after the meeting reduced the plan to writing and will present it today in the following form:

"Whenever it appears to the secretary of the treasury that an additional supply of gold or silver is necessary to the treasury to enable it to maintain the parity between the various coins and forms of money of the United States as required by law, the said secretary is hereby authorized to procure such gold or silver as may be necessary for that purpose by issuing therefor coupon bonds of the United States coupon for coupon bonds of the United States coupon of such denomination as may be deemed most convenient for sale, and of an additional amount sufficient to provide a premium not to exceed 5 per cent. on the amount of bonds thus obtained."

Mr. Bynum will offer resolutions in reference to Chairman Wilson's plan which covers [illegible] the same ground, and Mr. Wilson will offer the form of his resolution by way of a clause which stipulates that the proceeds of the bond issue shall be used to defray current expenses of the government. The change was suggested to meet the obligations under the Bland act, some of the former meeting. Both of the views upon it were not elicited during the session.

Another change was made in Mr. Wilson's resolution by leaving blank the term of the bond issue, and a question was raised whether the contract with the bankers did not stipulate for a thirty year term. The exact terms of the contract were not known to any member of the committee, and Mr. Hopkins, Republican, made a point on that Secretary Carlisle be invited to appear before the committee and explain the contract. The Republicans asserted that they had a right to know the terms of the agreement.

Early in the morning Mr. Cockran made a speech in favor of his proposition, claiming for it that it did not discriminate against either metal. Mr. Bryan, of Nebraska, stated that his intent was solely in the interest of gold.

Among the Democratic members of the committee who went last night doubtful a conciliatory feeling made itself manifest but it may not result in an agreement. Republicans say their course cannot be decided upon until the Democrats present some definite measure to them.

**Run Down by a Sleigh.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—General Cyrus Buzley of the interior department, was knocked down by a fast driven sleigh late yesterday afternoon and trampled on by the horse attached to it. He has a bad scalp wound, and it is thought he may have been injured internally. He was taken to the Emergency hospital. The physicians cannot say whether or not he will recover.

**Sentenced to Electrocution.**

ONEIDA, N. Y., Feb. 12.—After being out four hours the jury in the case against Michael Corey charged with killing James George, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree. Corey was committed to Auburn prison, to be electrocuted the week beginning March 18.

**Taken to the Asylum.**

RIVERTON, N. J., Feb. 12.—Walter Stackhouse, the young man who escaped while on his way to Trenton last Wednesday, was found in Lancaster, Pa., on Saturday by his father, and was taken by him and placed in the Trenton asylum the next day.

**Currency Crooks Sentenced.**

TRENTON, Feb. 12.—In the United States court yesterday Judge Green imposed the following sentences: Henry Hall and William Norris of Newark, counterfeiters, three years in the Essex penitentiary and a fine of $250; George Myers of Hoboken, passing counterfeit money, five years in the Essex penitentiary and a fine of $1,000, Cataldo Cocuzzo of Newark, passing spurious treasury notes, two years in the Essex penitentiary and a fine of $300.

**Attempted Wife Murder and Suicide.**

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 12.—Joseph Courter shot his wife as she lay asleep with her child in their home. Two shots were fired, one bullet lodging in the woman's intestines. After the shooting Courter cut his own throat with a razor, but the wound is not regarded as dangerous. Mrs. Courter cannot recover. The interference of Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Courter's mother, saved her daughter's life. Jealousy caused the crime.

## PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE

**A Bill to Prevent the Display of All Foreign Flags.**

HARRISBURG, Feb. 12.—Short sessions of both branches of the legislature were held last evening. In the house the calendar was cleared of bills on first reading. In the senate a large number of bills were read for the first and second times. Among the bills introduced in the senate were the following: To promote decency, cleanliness and healthfulness in the public schools, to establish an additional common pleas court in Philadelphia; to authorize judges to be elected at the next November election.

A bill was introduced in the house by Mr. Coffroth, of Lycoming, providing that no other flag than the United States and State flags be allowed to wave from any public building, or be used for display on any office or other business, place or public exposition as may be occupied by or under the control of any officer or other person acting for the commonwealth or any municipality thereof. The bill also provides that in all processions bearing of any device or flag indicated to represent any foreign nation or country shall be carried or displayed. Violation of the act is to be punished by a fine of $25 or three months' imprisonment. Among the other bills introduced was one permitting disabled soldiers who are peddlers to canvass or solicit orders and deliver goods without being owners of the same. The Focht bill increasing the amount of preferred claims of laborers, mechanics and working girls from $200 to $500, and the limit from six months to one year, which was negatived by the committee, was placed on the calendar by a vote of 150 to 8.

**Skated Into an Ice Hole.**

TORRESDALE, Pa., Feb. 12.—The body of Winfield S. Kates, aged 6 years, of Broad street and Erie avenue, Philadelphia, was found in the Delaware river at this place yesterday. Kates had been employed as a bookkeeper at Morelton Inn, and on Thursday last, immediately before the heavy storm began, he started to skate about a mile up the river to attend to some business. He had not been seen since until his body was found by a searching party. The supposition is that he fell into an air hole and was pushed beneath the ice by the current. Mr. Kates leaves a widow and one child.

**Verdict Against a National Bank.**

TRENTON, Feb. 12.—A jury in the Mercer county circuit court rendered a verdict for $2,000 against the First National bank, of this city, in the suit of the American Saw company to recover money drawn from the bank from time to time by Isaac F. Bissell, who was the saw company's secretary. Bissell was found to be short in his accounts with the saw company some months ago, and has now been in the state's hands awaiting trial for forgeries. Bissell used the money in fast living and race track betting.

**An Unknown Snow Shoveler Killed.**

LANCASTER, Pa., Feb. 12.—Harry Smith, a stranger, about 42 years old, who was employed by the Pennsylvania railroad to assist in clearing the tracks from snow, attempted to get out of the way of a west bound train near Rohrerstown yesterday and slipped and fell in front of an east bound freight. He was instantly killed and the body badly mutilated. His head was crushed to a jelly, an arm cut off, and nearly every bone in his body broken. There was nothing on his person to indicate his home.

**A Point for Captain Howgate.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—During the Howgate trial yesterday George E. King, a clerk in the signal office in 1879 and 1880, was examined regarding the office account. In cross examination the defense developed the fact that three checks alleged to have been forged, and aggregating approximately $30,000 had been made out by clerks in the office in the regular way and that the only writing on them by Captain Howgate was his signature at the bottom.

**An Alleged Counterfeiter Eloped.**

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 12.—Charles Lockhart, an alleged counterfeiter, was to have had a hearing yesterday afternoon before a United States commissioner, but when the deputy marshal went to lead Lockhart the latter had left the city in company with a girl named Lena Richardson. Subsequently it was learned that the couple had eloped. Lockhart leaves a wife and several children.

**Suit Against President Hayes' Children.**

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Addie M. [illegible] has begun suit for $50,000 damages against [illegible] A. Hayes, W. H. Hayes, C. H. Hayes, Scott R. Hayes and Fanny Hayes, the sons and daughter of the late ex-President R. B. Hayes, for permanent injuries alleged to have been received in a runaway accident on a Fremont and Toledo electric car.

**Crushed to Death Under Tons of Coal.**

READING, Pa., Feb. 12.—Joseph H. Bartholomew, aged 45 years, a miner, residing at Bechtelsville, was killed by a fall of coal at the Boyer colliery, Douglassville. His body was crushed to a jelly and [illegible] the floor was broken in with pick and shovel. He leaves a widow and four small children in destitute circumstances.

**Drayton Case Again Postponed.**

JERSEY CITY, Feb. 12.—There was another large crowd in chancery chambers [illegible] the application for divorce suit of J. Coleman Drayton against his wife Gertrude Hall, daughter of A. T. Clark, one of the contestants. Mrs. Drayton the hearing was postponed until next Monday.

**Water Famine at Palmyra.**

PALMYRA, Pa., Feb. 12.—The people of this place and surrounding districts are suffering for want of water. The cisterns are frozen up and the water company has but three inches of water in the reservoir. Many of the pipes are frozen.

**Governor Morton's Powers.**

ALBANY, Feb. 12.—Governor Morton has signed the power of removal bill which gives Mayor Strong the power to depose the heads of departments of the New York city government.

## A MOTHER'S ORDEAL.

### Pathetic Scene at the Trial of Harry Hayward.

### ADRY REPEATS HIS STATEMENT.

**Futile Efforts of the Prisoner's Attorney to Break Adry's Story of His Knowledge of the Crime—The Lawyer Declares That Adry Is Insane.**

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 12.—In the Gingrich murder trial yesterday Adry Hayward was the main witness. Mr. Irwin, Harry Hayward's counsel, interposed an objection saying that Adry was insane. The court replied that it did not see that the witness was any more insane than some of the lawyers in this case," and Irwin took an exception to the ruling. Adry repeated the story of his knowledge of Harry's guilty secret substantially as already published.

The most dramatic and affecting scene occurred at the noon adjournment. Hardly had the crowd begun to push toward the doors than Adry pushed his way to his mother's side. Mrs. Hayward turned, and then the tears sprung to her eyes as she leaned forward into Adry's arms. Tenderly the son kissed his mother, who sobbed out, "Adry, Adry, how could you? How could you do it?" referring to the testimony he had just placed on record against his brother's life.

Adry was visibly affected, and placing his hand to his eyes he one arm encircling his mother's form, replied, "I had to, mother, it was my duty."

Then placing his hand caressingly upon her shoulder, he endeavored to comfort her. Harry, who had stood by during this affecting scene, stepped forward and pushed Adry's hand from his mother's shoulder, exclaiming "Don't Adry. Can't you see you are exciting her?"

Adry fell back, and Mrs. Hayward stood sobbing for a time in Harry's arms. Then her sister advanced and led her from the room.

At the afternoon session the court room was crowded to suffocation and the excitement reached its height when Mr. Erwin asked Adry to explain how his brother had acted when he told him he would hang if he persisted in following out the echo.

Adry explained how his brother had turned black in the face with passion, how he had bent toward him and passed his fingers around his neck and over his head. In order to explain it more fully and make the witness appear the more ridiculous before the courts, Mr. Erwin asked him to illustrate the action. The witness stepped away from his chair to the table at which Mr. Erwin and the prisoner sat. He went over the story and explained his brother's actions. As he went over his face was only a few feet from that of his brother and facing him. Every eye in the room was bent upon the scene. Every form was half raised from its seat. There was a rustle of excitement about Harry. "Look him in the eye, Harry, look him in the eye!" cried his mother.

Harry did not move. His mother shook him and he roused himself, and, leaning far over the table toward his brother, his head on his hands, tried to catch his brother's eye. Adry was talking so rapidly and excitedly that he did not see him, and Harry could not catch his glance. He sat back in his chair and looked at his mother as if to say that he was not equal to it. If that eye could have controlled his older brother in the past it had grown powerless.

The day was filled with exciting incidents. Once when Mr. Erwin asked if he had any affection for his brother, he replied that he had. Then he asked, knowing Mr. Erwin's intention, if Mr. Erwin would have gone and told anybody if he had been in his position. Mr. Erwin was a trifle excited and asked the court if he might answer, and to his surprise the court answered that he might. Then for a moment all his pent up feelings burst forth in a short scathing sentence, in which he gave Adry to understand that if he thought his brother was crazy, or intending fraud, he would have moved heaven and earth to prevent it. It was a startling scene for a minute.

The cross examination of Adry was a trifle and exhaustive. At times Adry grew excited and flung retorts at the attorney, as no time however showing himself lacking mentally. He did show some animus against Harry however at various times, but on all the long examination he did not contradict his original story.

Extraordinary precautions are being taken with the Hayward jury. It is in the hands of three deputy sheriffs, who are always with the jury. Whenever the jury moves from one place to another a threatening crowd gathers, and cries of "Hang him!" "Hang him!" are on all sides. In view of these facts an extra guard has been added.

**"Lize, the Man," Got Ten Years.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Lizzie Bogan, alias "Lize, the Man," was sentenced by Judge Ingraham in the court of oyer and terminer to ten years in the state prison. She was convicted of manslaughter in killing Bridget Gorman on Jan. 6 at No. 20 Mott street by throwing a lighted lamp at her.

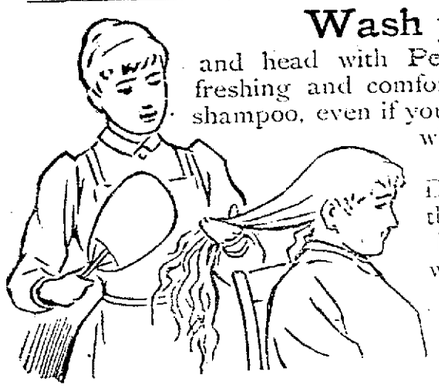
**Chief of the Income Tax Division.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Secretary Carlisle has appointed and commissioned Mr. E. C. Johnson, of Port Townsend, Wash., formerly chief of the sugar bounty division, as chief of the income tax division, treasury department.

**Four Fishermen Probably Drowned.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—After having been suspended for several days by reason of the storm and ice, communication with Swinburne Island was resumed yesterday. Nothing has been heard or seen on the island of the four fishermen belonging to the schooner Emma, which drifted ashore in the ice on the night of Feb 7. The boat's crew left their vessel in a vain attempt to reach Staten Island, and their fate still remains a mystery.

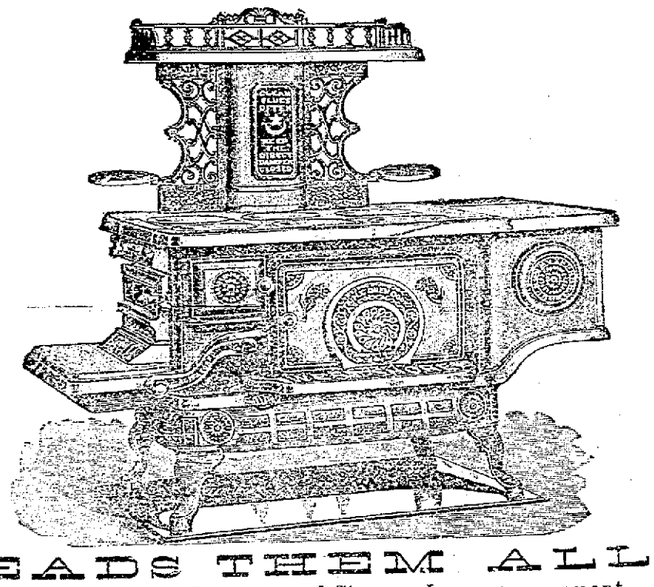
## Wash your hair



and head with Pearline, and see how refreshing and comforting it is. A Pearline shampoo, even if you don't take it very often, will keep the scalp beautifully clean and healthy. Don't use too much. Not that there's any harm in it, but it'll take too long to wash the suds off, and you might grumble about that. Use your Pearline in the bath. You'll feel invigorated after it. It's very much like a Turkish or a Russian bath—except that it costs almost nothing, and that you take it at home, without any trouble or fuss.

**Beware** Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you, "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled: if your grocer sends you an imitation, be honest—*send it back.* 441 JAMES PYLE, New York.

## The Celebrated West Shore Range



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### THAT TOOTH.

**The Process of Saving It Described by a Suffering Soul.**

The doctor stretched my mouth open until he could see my heart beat. Then he said cautiously, "I think we can save that tooth." Running a long, inquisitive wire into the tooth to a depth of about 16 inches, he stirred up something known as a "nerve." In response to my fervent yell he asked, "Does that hurt?" I wiped the tears out of my eyes and said simply, "Yes." Then he got some Zahn-Artzt crowbars and pried here and there at the tooth, occasionally waking up that cussed nerve which had been growling over since at its unceremonious handling. Then he said, "We will have to kill the nerve first and fill the tooth afterward."

"How long will that take?" I asked anxiously

"Oh, you can't tell about that," he replied. "You can have it pulled if you prefer it," he added. I went to the glass and smiled at myself. It was as I feared. If that tooth was yanked out, my smile was ruined.

There is nothing so unpleasant as a foreshortened smile. The absence of a tooth at either end of it gives it a wolfish character. A tooth out of the center of a smile simply wrecks it. No, I could not afford to have that tooth pulled.

Stimulated then by the strongest ingredient in the male character—viz, vanity—I resolved to take my medicine, and so the pact was made.

Well, the first thing to do was to kill the nerve. The nerve is a long, starved angleworn growth that starts in the tooth somewhere and grows down and up with three distinct tentacles or feelers. One of these connects with your brain, one with your heart and the other with your soul. Every time the nerve is touched an electric shock goes to each of these terminal points, and you feel as if you had been shot, stabbed and burned with a hot iron at one and the same time.

The doctor toyed with this nerve of mine for some weeks. Whenever the combination was made I used to kick out with one foot and cry, "Ow!" or grab his hand and say appealingly, "Oh, don't!" Then he would say, "We won't hurt you."

Sometimes he would lull me into a fancied security, and I would be counting 300 or saying to myself, "Even this will pass away," when all of a sudden 4,000 rattlesnakes would dart their venom into me simultaneously, a hundred mules would kick me, a score of bumblebees would sock their stingers into me, and the world would come to an end. Then I would know he had stepped on my nerve with the "teaser." The "teaser" is the boss "feeler," being fine as a horsehair and of the most undoubted yell producing power.

After a long while the nerve capitulated. I had lost 11 pounds in the process, but a great gain had been made. The tooth was now as tender as a mush and milk poultice, and even to tickle it with an ostrich tip would produce exquisite agony. He used to soothe it from time to time with various lotions, and finally he began to quarry out the dead bone a little. This was grewsome work, for there were tender places all over the tooth, as thick as spots on a leopard, and every time he jammed a chisel into one of them I almost fainted. I was kept in a continuous cold sweat for weeks thinking about it before I went, going through with it while I was at the office and thinking about it after I left.

After he had amused himself by digging and blasting out a lot of little galleries in the upper part of the tooth he began to "treat" the root apertures.

This is a most ingenious and refined cruelty and by some dentists is preferred even to nerve killing. The process is to first feel around with the "teaser" on the sensitive roots, next to put a little cotton dipped in carbolic or nitric acid, creosote or turpentine around the "teaser" and stick it away down into the same place. This hurts powerfully. It cleanses the roots of impurities, though. A lighted match would be less painful, but the aperture is not large enough to admit one. After this some cotton filling is stuffed in, and you are told to come back in three days. That night you wake at 12 o'clock with your "soul in arms and eager for the fray." You dig out all the filling and pace up and down the room saying at intervals, "Oh, gosh, why didn't I have it pulled?"

Then you go back, and the treatment is renewed. The doctor varied the upper filling by putting in hard rubber filling after awhile. This is put in soft and hot and hardens when it gets cold.

When you wake up with this hurting you at night, you can't get it out. A red-hot hairpin may get some of it out, but you are liable to glance off and get your gums into the scar and yellow.

When the roots are ready to fill, a gladsome joy pervades your entire system. The birds sing, the skies are bright, roses bloom, men and women are better, the whole world has changed in the twinkling of an eye.

The day the roots are filled you go home and kiss your mother and eat your supper on both sides of your mouth. For, mark you, when a tooth is being filled, the jaw it adorns is practically side tracked until the crucifixion is over.

The last scene in the drama was when the doctor put in the top filling. The roots had already been plugged with a red putty which had hardened into a regular tooth cement. I lay back in the chair, and the tap, tap of the hammer and punch sounded as melodious as Joaquin Miller's line of

A woodpecker pounded a pine top shell.

I was wrapped in a dream of delicious joy. Not like some of my acquaintances would I be forced to launch myself into society with a fragmentary, misfit smile. No indeed. And when the whole thing was through I shook Dock's hand, and he told me that he had never meant all along to so kill me by inches, but that dentistry was dentistry.

Then I went to the glass and smiled. Veni, vidi, vici.—Ernest McGaffey in Chicago Herald

**Preserving the Peace.**

Broncho Bill—I was talkin with an eastern man today, and he says when two fellers in his section have a dispute they just go to law and sue each other for damages or somethin.

Hair Trigger Ike—But how about the loser? Don't he get a gun and try to git even?

Broncho Bill—Waal, as near as I kin make out by the time the loser hez paid the lawyers he ain't got no money to buy guns.—New York Weekly.

**The Cause.**

"Jabworth is most ridiculously sentimental. When that fellow at the minstrels sang 'My Sweetheart of Long Ago' the other night, Jabworth actually shed tears."

"Yes. His breach of promise suit comes to trial next week."—Indianapolis Journal.

### NO PLACE FOR SMELLING.

**This Tourist Knew of One Thing It Were Well to Omit.**

I did not make my trip up among the peaks and coves and ravines of the Cumberland mountains before being "conched" a bit by an old friend at Bristol. He told me of several things I must not do, and on several occasions I had reason to feel very grateful.

One day when I was well up among the moonshiners I suddenly scented the aroma given out by a still, and at the same instant discovered a long haired, rough looking old mountaineer seated on a roadside rock with a double barreled shotgun across his legs. I saluted him, removed my pack and sat down for a smoke. When he had lighted the cigar offered him, I asked:

"Is there much wild game in these mountains?"

"A right smart of game," he replied.

"I suppose you kill a bear now and then?"

"Yes, reckon I do."

Then I questioned him about the farms, the crops, the schools, the churches and other things, and he not only answered me briefly, but I could not fail to see that he was closely watching me. By and by he asked my business, and when I told him he seemed to grow even more suspicious. I wanted some information about the route and wanted to get him in good humor, and so I kept rattling on for a quarter of an hour. I finally spoke of Bristol and my friend down there, and the old man turned on me with:

"What! D'ye know Jim —— down thar at Bristol?"

"Why, certainly."

"What sort of a lookin man is he?"

"A large man, red faced, light hair, scar on his chin; keeps a grocery."

"That's the critter. Yo' had a talk with Jim befo' comin up yere, I reckon?"

"Yes, a long talk."

"Him told yo sumthin, I reckon?

"Yes, many things. One of them was that I shouldn't smell anything up here until I had mentioned his name.

"Stranger, gin us yer paw!" said the man as he extended a hand almost as big as a washboard. "Did you know I was watchin yo'?

"I suspected it."

"Yes, I was watchin yer nose. The boys hev got a purty hot fire under the still, and the smell comes up purty strong. I had an eye on yo', and if yo'd hev stuck up that nose and sniffed and snuffed befo' yo' mentioned Jim's name I should hev turned loose on yo' fur a revenoo spy and taken my chances of bein right. Glad to see yo'. Mighty glad. Come over to the cabin and bring yo'r nose along and git a bite to eat."—Detroit Free Press.

### CARMEN SYLVA'S HEART.

**It Is Very Tender, as a Little Roumanian Girl Has Reason to Know.**

Here is a pretty little story about Carmen Sylva: A few years ago, when she was in the zenith of her popularity and health, she visited a small village school incog. and asked permission to put the children through their "paces." The schoolmistress was highly delighted. Although she was unaware of the high rank of her visitor, she guessed from outward appearances that the latter was of no common order. The children did their mistress credit, answering with great promptitude all the simple questions the queen put to them.

Just before leaving the queen noticed one little tot in a far corner of the room, with her tangled head of hair bent over some book. The child was so deeply engrossed in her reading that she took no notice whatever of anybody in the room. The queen asked the reason of her silence. Was she deaf or otherwise afflicted? "Oh, no," was the answer, "but she is stupid and never attends to her studies, but seizes every opportunity to read story books." Carmen Sylva walked quietly up to the little reader, and, putting her hand on the curly head, asked gently what the child was reading, and the latter held up the book to the strange lady. It was "Fairy Stories and Poems," by Carmen Sylva. "And do you like these tales?" asked their author. "Like them, madame? Oh, I love them!"

And Carmen Sylvia took the child in her arms, kissed the little flushed face and departed. About a week afterward the child's aunt, for the little maiden was an orphan, received a letter from the queen offering to educate and bring up the child. The offer was gratefully and thankfully accepted, and now the little one is in one of the best schools in Roumania.

**Easily Satisfied.**

At the World's fair it was amusing to note the diversity of objects which visitors found the most interesting. One instance was that of an old couple, weary looking and bundle laden, who asked a guard where the Minnesota building could be found. He indicated the direction.

"Is it fur?" asked the man.

"Yes, about half a mile from here."

"Oh, dear! Well, come, Mary, we'll put her through now we're here," said the old man, shouldering his heavy bundle.

But the woman was more garrulous. She detained the guard long enough to explain that they lived in Minnesota 12 years and then moved to Ohio. Now they were going back to Minnesota.

"We was goin through Chicago, so we jest stopped off two hours to see the fair. We don't keer much for fairs any way. All we want to see is the Minnesota buildin, an we are bound to see that if it takes half a day!"—Youth's Companion.

**Flies on the Wing.**

A Russian has discovered by patient research that the wings of a fly vibrate 330 times in a second, from which he infers that a fly can perform the distance of one kilometer per minute, which is the rate of speed of an express train. By flying straight in one direction without stopping a fly could travel round the world in less than 28 days.


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We sold nearly 50 during the first week of 1895, and 100 during January. The maps, plans and explanation of the scheme are at our office in the Theatre Building.

**HORACE W. COREY,**

Real Estate Agent, Middletown, N. Y.


## IN MEMORIAM.

**Resolutions to be Submitted to Hoffman Lodge, No. 412, F. and A. M., on the Death of the late M. H. Van Keuren.**

At a recent meeting of Hoffman Lodge, No. 412, F. and A. M., a committee on resolutions consisting of Past Masters M. D. Stivers, S. M. Boyd and C. V. Puff, was appointed on the death of the late Past Master M. H. Van Keuren.

The following resolutions will be submitted:

It is eminently fit and proper that when death removes from our midst one who has been active and conspicuous among us, some acknowledgment of our grateful remembrance of his friendship and services should find public expression.

With such motive Hoffman Lodge, No 412, of Free and Accepted Masons place, on their minutes their tribute to their esteemed brother, Moses H. VanKeuren, for his high moral worth as a man, for his valuable and unselfish services as a public officer, and for his cheerful aid and assistance, whenever called upon, in behalf of our fraternity.

Moses H. VanKeuren joined Hoffman Lodge of Free Masons, March 30, 1869, and retained his membership until the tie was severed by death Dec. 7, 1894, showing thus, by his long continued membership of nearly 26 years, his steady attachment to the principles of the order and his unshaken fidelity to those who have been, during all these years, in this village and city, its local representatives.

For two years, viz: 1877 and 1878, our now lamented brother was the just, impartial and dignified Master of Hoffman Lodge. and its present members would be indeed ungrateful were they to fail to record the faithfulness of his services, the value those services were to the Lodge and the never varying readiness with which, since his term of office expired, he has cheerfully responded to the call of his Masonic brethren for work, encouragement and assistance.

Our brother, Moses H. VanKeuren. was one upon whom we all reflect with respect. pride and veneration. Scrupulously honest in his relations with all men, strictly faithful in the discharge of every duty imposed upon him. a kind and courteous gentleman ever ready and willing to respond to every demand of social or civic obligation, we hold his memory in highest esteem and feel proud to record that we possessed in him a true and steadfast friend, the community a most valuable citizen, and Hoffman Lodge a foremost and conspicuous member.

With sorrow we record the fact of his death, and yet with pride and satisfaction we also write that he was a good man, honest. public spirited, true in small matters as well as in great, valuable to his city, and especially to the Masonic fraternity. and has left a name and a reputation of which not only his family, but the entire Masonic brotherhood may well be proud.

PAST MASTER M. D. STIVERS.
PAST MASTER S. M. BOYD.
PAST MASTER C. V. PUFF.

## TOSSING THE SNOW.

**How the Susquehanna Snow Plow Goes Through Drifts,**

The Russell snow plow sent out on the Susquehanna, Saturday afternoon, with two locomotives behind it, was sent with such force into a drift near the Hogan boiler works, that it hurled great masses of snow against the boiler house, some distance from the tracks, with such violence, as to completely demolish the sash of one of the large windows. The plow, when it dashed into a bank, threw the snow in great masses fully thirty feet into the fields on either side of the track.

## BLOOMINGBURGH.

**Church Sociable Postponed.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—On account of the severe storm of Thursday evening the sociable of the Reformed Church, at the residence of Mrs. H. F. Oliver, has been postponed till Tuesday evening, Feb. 12th. All who attend may expect a good time. An entertainment of tableaux and music will be given.

## CIRCLEVILLE.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The meeting of the Circleville Farm and Garden Club will be held on Tuesday evening, at Mr. John Terry's, if the weather proves favorable. If not, it will be held the first Tuesday evening the weather permits, at the same place.

## WAWAYANDA

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The voters of Wawayanda who desire to have no-license to the town are invited to meet for mutual counsel and action at Clark's Hall, Slate Hill, Thursday evening, Feb. 14th. This notice is from those who lean that way.

**Charles F. Underhill in "The Rivals,"**

"The Rivals," Richard Brinsley Sheridan's greatest comedy, will be read by Charles F. Underhill at the First Presbyterian Church, Monday evening, Feb. 18th. The entertainment is given under the auspices of and for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Underhill read "A Midsummer Night's Dream," in this city, a few weeks ago, and pleased all who heard him.

**Business Change.**

Mr. Doen H. Luther, the North street photographer, has, through the agency of A. V. Boak, sold his photograph building, together with the outfit, lease, etc., to Mr. J. A. Carpenter, of Peekskill, N. Y., who takes possession at once. Mr. Luther will return to his former home at Haverstraw.

## CARD FROM THE WATER COMMISSIONERS.

**A Majority of the Board Say the Proposed Plan is the Best and $150,000 is Money Enough.**

*To the Taxpayers:*

The meeting held on Saturday evening, pursuant to the call of the Mayor and Common Council, for the purpose of discussing the question of water supply, having demonstrated the fact that the chief matters of difference among our citizens as to the improvements proposed are:

First—Can the necessary rights be secured and the work accomplished for the sum asked for, namely, $150,000?

Second—Is the proposed plan the best available?

In answer to the first, we, as members of the Water Board, desire to say that the work contemplated has been carefully considered in all its various details and we have no hesitation in stating that the amount asked for is fully adequate.

As to the second, we fully agree with the expert engineer that the plan proposed is the best available.

In conclusion, we would re-affirm our belief that the interests of the city require the necessary expenditure for the purposes named, and having thus emphasized our appeal, we desire to be relieved from any and all responsibility for loss or damage from an adverse action on your part.

Middletown, N. Y., Feb. 11th, 1894.

J. W. CANFIELD,
A. V. BOAK.
W. E. DOUGLAS,
W. D. STRATTON.
Commissioners.

## OBITUARY.

**James Padien.**

Mr. James Padien died suddenly at his home in Port Jervis, Sunday morning. He had suffered from heart trouble for several years and two weeks ago had an attack of grip but was not confined to his bed. Sunday morning he was about the house as usual, and about 8 o'clock laid down on a lounge. Shortly afterward he fell to the floor and expired.

Mr. Padien was one of the best known engineers on the Eastern Division of the Erie. For fifteen years he has run the pusher on the hill at Otisville.

He was fifty-five years old and is survived by his wife and the following sons and daughters: Owen and Thomas, of Denver, Mary, wife of Engineer James Cunneen, of Port Jervis, and Ella, George, John, Albert and Lauretta, at home.

**Frank B. Finan.**

Frank B. Finan, a well known and highly respected young man, died of heart disease at his home in Port Jervis, yesterday. He was twenty-five years old.

**Mrs. Mary Walker.**

Mrs. Mary Walker died of heart failure while sitting in her chair at her home in Port Jervis, yesterday morning. She was seventy-four years old. She is survived by seven children, three living in Denver, two in Ohio, and two, Mrs. Mary Coughlin and Mrs. Martha McCauley, in Port Jervis.

**Sudden Death at Denton.**

Coroner Decker was called to Denton, yesterday, to grant a certificate in the case of the sudden death of the twelve-year-old son of a German tailor named Muller. The cause of death was pneumonia.

**Snowed in at Chester.**

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Taylor, of Newburgh, drove to Chester, Thursday, where they were caught in the blizzard. They reached home by rail Sunday morning.

## A LONG MISSING LETTER FOUND

**Brought to Light by the Explosion in the Matteawan Post Office.**

Several years ago a mail pouch was delivered by the mail clerk on the Newburgh, Dutchess and Connecticut Railroad, to the office at Matteawan. In it was a receipt for a registered letter that could not be found. There was a searching investigation by the postal authorities but no trace of it could be found.

On the morning after the blowing up of the safe, the missing registered letter containing a considerable sum of money, was found among other papers scattered about the office. Where it had been all these years is a mystery still.

Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsville, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.

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## STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

**Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.**

NEW YORK, Feb 11.—The share speculation today was irregular and unsettled throughout the day on a small volume of business, and the final sales show declines compared with Saturday's closing figures in most instances. Closing bids:

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| Lehigh Valley | 35¾ | W. N. Y. & Pa. | 5¼ |
| Pennsylvania | 50¼ | Erie | 9¾ |
| Reading | 9¼ | D., L. & W | 150¼ |
| St. Paul | 51¾ | West Shore | — |
| Lehigh Nav | 47 | N. Y. Central | 99 |
| N. Y. & N. E | 25¾ | Lake Erie & W. | 15 |
| New Jersey Cen | 85¾ | Del. & Hudson | 128 |

**General Markets.**

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 11.—Flour steady; winter super., $2.75@3.15, do. extras, $2.20@2.40; No. 2 winter family, $2.40@2.50; Pennsylvania roller, straight, $2.50@2.65; western winter, clear, $2.40@2.60 Wheat dull, lower, with 57¼c. bid and 57¾c. asked for February. Corn quiet, lower, with 40⅞c. bid and 40¾c. asked for February. Oats dull, unchanged, with 35¼c. bid and 35¾c. asked for February. Hay quiet; good to choice timothy, $13@15.50. Beef quiet. Pork dull. Lard dull, but steady; western steam, $5.85@6.00. Butter firm; western dairy, 10@15c.; do creamery, 11@23c; do. factory, 8@14c.; Elgins, 24c.; imitation creamery, 10@18c.; New York dairy, 10@18c.; do. creamery, 13@24c.; Pennsylvania creamery prints, fancy, 26c.; do. choice, 25c.; do. fair to good, 20@24c.; prints jobbing at 27@30c. Cheese firm; New York large, 9@11¼c.; do. small, 9¼@11¾c.; part skims, 3@9c.; full skims, 2@2½c. Eggs easier; New York and Pennsylvania, 33c.; ice house, 25c.; western fresh, 31@32c.; southern, 30@30½c

**Live Stock Markets.**

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Beeves excited; ordinary to medium native steers, $4.85@5; oxen, $3@5.40; bulls, $2.25@4; dry cows, $2.50@4.25 Calves nominally higher; veals quoted at 5½@8; barnyard calves, $2.50@3; western calves, $3@4. Sheep and lambs sharp and very active at further advance from Saturday of ½c. per pound; poor to ordinary sheep, $4@4.75; inferior to choice lambs, $6@7. Hogs higher; inferior to choice quoted at $5@5.40.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Feb. 11.—Cattle steady and unchanged. Hogs dull; buyers holding off on account of heavy through consignments, which have been held here. Sheep heavy; extra, $4.40@4.75; good, $3.85@4.20; common to fair lambs, $3@5.

**Death of a Confederate Brigadier.**

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 12 — General Montgomery D Corse, who served in the confederate army during the war of the rebellion, died in this city yesterday, aged 79 years General Corse commanded a brigade in Pickett's division in the expedition against Knoxville, and was captured at Sailor's Creek, Va, on April 6, 1865

**Lynn's Striking Shoemakers.**

LYNN, Mass., Feb. 12.—The hand turn stitchers at Faunce & Spinney's shoe factory voted not to return to work until the trouble in the shop has been adjusted. This closes the factory, the other employes having struck last Friday afternoon About 500 hands are out now.

**Burglars Blow Open a Safe.**

PITTSBURG, Kan., Feb. 12 —The office of the Long-Bell Lumber company, in this city, was entered by burglars early in the morning, the safe blown open and $15,000 in notes and mortgages stolen. There was no money in the safe The work bore evidence of being done by professionals.

**North Adams Strikers Weaken.**

NORTH ADAMS Mass., Feb. 12 — The Greylock strikers gave up yesterday and will return to work at once at the old scale of wages.

**Died from His Injuries.**

DOVER, Del., Feb. 12.—Michael Griffin, the fireman who was injured Sunday night in a collision between two engines just above this place, died yesterday at Wyoming.

**A Binghamton Baby.**

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1893.

Dr. Hand's Colic Cure brought a blessing to my house. My baby is eleven weeks old and had the colic since birth every day. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gave him instant relief and I shall always recommend Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children to all my friends.—Mrs. A. H. Gaige, 198 Nestle avenue. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion at all drug stores, 25c. 3

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As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influences. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constiption Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only 50 cents at McMonagle & Rogers drug store

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I was afflicted with catarrh last autumn. During the month of October I could neither taste or smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus Geo. Shantz, Rahway, N. J.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill. Cream Balm is agreeable.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Do. Testimonials free.

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To waste money on vile, dirty, water mixtures, compounded by inexperienced persons, when you have the opportunity of testing Otto's Cure free of charge. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough when J. J. Chambers, of 21 West Main street, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Hold a bottle of Otto's Cure to the light and observe its beautiful golden color and thick heavy syrup. Largest packages and purest goods. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00,

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TUESDAY, FEB. 12, 1895.


The French liner, La Gascogne, reached Sandy Hook at 11 o'clock, last night. She was delayed by three serious accidents to her machinery, one of her piston rods having broken twice and the third mishap having been to her steering geer. The news of her arrival caused great joy, for great alarm was felt for the vessel's safety, she being eight days overdue.

Platt is understood to favor the Raines excise bill which does away with commissioners and licenses and provides for a tax on the sale of liquor somewhat in excess of the average license fees now paid. The bill does not find favor in the eyes of many legislators and it is doubtful if Boss Platt's influence will be strong enough to secure its passage.

Senator Lexow, at a dinner at the Hotel Metropole, New York, Sunday night, announced himself a candidate for Governor and declared that the people were with him and that he could "win in spite of Parkhurst and his gang." Mr. Lexow will find that a great many things will happen before a Governor is to be elected again and that nothing vanishes more rapidly than the reputation of a supposed reformer who drops the mask and lets it be seen that he is a reformer for purely personal and political ends.

Comptroller James A. Roberts made known, Saturday evening, his unalterable determination to decline a renomination if it should be tendered him. Mr. Roberts is, he says, in part influenced by lost health since his incumbency of the office, but even more largely by the pressing demands which his varied business interests make upon for more attention than he has of late been able to give them. It is to be regretted that Comptroller Roberts is compelled to abandon public career. He has proved an admirable official.

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## LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

### LA GASCOGNE IN PORT.

**Saluted as She Passed Up the Bay—Passengers Not Alarmed.**

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—As La Gascogne came up the bay and through the Narrows to her dock, she was saluted by all the steam craft in the harbor.

Passengers say they were at no time in real danger, and were more concerned about their friends' fears for their safety than about themselves.

### SENATOR HILL WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT POSTMASTERS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb 12.—In the Senate to-day, Mr. Hill introduced a resolution asking for information in regard to the appointment of postmasters in this State.

**Invited to See Middletown by Daylight and to Dance at the Purim Ball**

(*From the Newburgh Register*)

Invitations have been received by all the Hebrew citizens of Newburgh, to-day, requesting them to visit Middletown on Feb. 27, see the city by daylight and enjoy an evening of pleasure at the Assembly Rooms with the Congregation Beth Israel at their Purim ball.

**DIED.**

SMITH—Near Otisville, Jan 10th, '95, Nancy Crawford Smith, wife of Charles Smith, in her sixty-eighth year.
Funeral from her late residence, Wednesday Feb. 13 h. at eleven-thirty a. m. Interment in Otisville Cemetery.

HALSEY—In this city, Feb 12th, '95, Mrs. Elizabeth Smiley Halser, in her ninetieth year.
Funeral Thursday afternoon, at two-thirty o'clock, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Davis, No 7 Orchard street. Interment at Washingtonville, Friday morning.


**Common Sense.**

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NEW YORK, Feb. 12, '95.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sugar | 91⅞ | 90 | 90⅝ |
| A. T. & S. F. | 71¾ | 70⅝ | 70⅝ |
| C. B. & Q. | 74⅝ | 73⅞ | 74⅛ |
| Chicago Gas | | | |
| D. L. & W. | | | |
| Dis. & Cat. F. | 9⅛ | 8⅝ | 8⅝ |
| Erie | 10⅝ | 10⅛ | 10⅛ |
| General Electric | 29⅛ | 28⅝ | 28⅞ |
| L. & N. | 52⅜ | 52 | 52⅛ |
| L. S. | 137⅝ | 137⅛ | 137⅛ |
| M. P. | 21⅜ | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| N. Y. & N. E. | 30⅛ | 29⅞ | 29⅞ |
| N. Y. C. | 99⅛ | 99⅛ | 99⅜ |
| N. W. | 94⅜ | 93 | 93⅝ |
| N. P. Pfd. | 16 | 15⅝ | 16 |
| O. & W. | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| Manhattan | 107¾ | 106 | 106⅜ |
| Southern R'y | 10⅜ | 10 | 10⅛ |
| P. & R. | | | |
| R. I. | 62¾ | 61⅝ | 61⅞ |
| C. M. & St. P. | 55⅜ | 54⅝ | [illegible] |
| U. P. | 9⅜ | 9⅛ | [illegible] |
| W. Union | 87⅜ | 87⅛ | [illegible] |
| U. S. Cordage | 3⅜ | [illegible] | 3⅜ |
| Nat. Lead | 30⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅜ |

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Do you know how much more attractive your hands might be made by using a little Orange Flower Balm on them at night? Advertised for Chapped Hands, that's only one of its uses. It's to make the hands smooth, white and attractive, to prevent and cure hangnails, to keep them from getting rough, chapped and grimy. It's nearly as useful on your dressing stand as soap, but we'll make another story of that. Mothers use it on babes, all use it for themselves. Now do you see more clearly what Orange Flower Balm is? Why, some families have used it during the whole twenty-five years we have made it.

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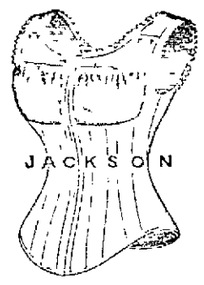


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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

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THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Snow, northerly winds.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 15°; 12 m., 32°; 3 p. m., 34°.

## AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Feb. 14—Excelsior H. and L. Co.'s social, at the truck house.
—Feb 15—Vreeland's Minstrels, at Casino.
—Feb. 18—The Rivals, by Chas. F. Underhill, for the Y. M. C. A.
—Feb 19 Schubert club concert, at First Baptist Church
—Feb. 20—Ball of Middletown Lodge, I. O. O. F.
—Feb. 21—Waalkill Engine Co, No. 6, will hold its fifth annual ball, at the Assembly Rooms.
—Feb. 25—Twenty-second annual ball of McQuaid Engine Co, at Casino.
—March 7 Illustrated lecture by Mr. Beagon, on "The Yosemite and the Yellow Stone," at Second Presbyterian Church.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—A large variety of goods cheap at the Economy Store.
—Large assortment of white goods at H. E. Churchill & Co's.
—Goods damaged by water cheap at L. Stern's. See adv. on fourth page.
—New spring hats from $1 up at Morris B Wolf's.
—Rubber overshoes at cut prices at Geo. B Adams & Co.'s.
—Jackson corset waists gives the body freedom. Sold at Fancher's.
—Cash paid for fresh eggs at 113 North St.
—House and barn, on Benson avenue, to let
—Five rooms on Grant street, to let.
—Agents wanted by the Dominion Co.
—Good carpenters wanted by Lindsey & Co.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Additional local matter will be found on third page.

—St. Joseph's parochial school will open to-morrow at 9 a. m.

—Regular weekly drill of the 24th Separate Company, this evening.

—The payments made in Delaware county, last year, for sheep killed by dogs amounted $2,375.

—Paterson's electric railroads did not overcome the snow blockade and get cars running with anything like regularity until yesterday.

—Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company's next social will be held at the truck house, Feb. 14th.

—Single tickets for the Schubert Club concert, Feb. 19th, are on sale at Hanford & Horton's.

—Don't fail to see the grand street parade and gold band concert with Vreeland's minstrels. At the Casino, Saturday evening.

—Yesterday's Kingston *Leader* contained notices of the deaths of thirteen persons who had died in that city within forty-eight hours.

—We call to-day's weather mild because it is in such pleasing contrast with last week's zero temperature, but there is nothing uproariously high in the thermometer's record.

—The Liberty *Register* says that William Randall, of this city, has about completed the job of painting the Lancashire Inn.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church is arranging for an entertainment to take place on February 28th. Look out for further notices.

—Poughkeepsie's Board of Trade is making an effort to raise $25,000 with which to start a factory for the manufacture of the Reimers piano.

—One chronic drunk made his reappearance in police court to-day, but on account of his wife and two children was discharged with a reprimand.

—Trade has been anything but lively since the blizzard. In fact there has been nothing but city trade for with roads blockaded and railroads not running, country people could not come to town.

—Work has been resumed in the Hawley silk mill, which has just been rebuilt after last summer's fire. More employes will be taken on as fast as the machinery can be placed.

—A social will be held in the lecture room of the Second Presbyterian Church, Friday evening, Feb. 15. The orchestra, assisted by Mr. Henry L. Adams, will furnish music.

—A business meeting of the Middletown Club was held last evening. Twenty-one applications for membership were presented, upon which action was deferred for one month.

—Notice was sent out to ticket agents, this morning, that all of the Erie's branch roads were now open except the Crawford branch. The milk from Pine Bush, Thompson Ridge and Bullville is hauled to this city in sleighs.

—The monthly meeting of the city Missionary Union will be held, tomorrow at 2:30 p. m., in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church.

—The news that La Gascogne had been sighted off Fire Island reached this city, last evening, in a telegram from the New York office, to Mr. B. V. Wolf, the local agent of the French line.

—Young & Co., owners of the Hotel Wawonda, Liberty, will erect twelve handsome cottages on the hotel grounds as soon as the weather will permit. The cottages will so increase the accommodations of the hotel to 400 guests.

THE DAILY ARGUS—All the news. 30 cents per month.

## PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Vanamee has issued invitations for a ladies' whist party, Friday afternoon.

Miss Genevieve Ogden is visiting friends on Staten Island and at Lakewood, N. J.

—Miss Laura Arkills, of Middletown, is visiting friends in Liberty.—*Register.*

—Miss Floretta Hughes, of Howells, is visiting her sister, Miss Nettie Hughes, on Hanford street.

—Advices from Thrall Hospital, this afternooon, are to the effect that Miss Mack, who was operated on for appendicitis, last week, is fairly comfortable and doing as well as can be expected.

—Miss May Hardenburgh, of Youngsville, who has been at Middletown taking a course in Thrall Hospital, has left that institution and will enter a New York hospital in the near future.—*Liberty Register.*

—Albert Jones, an O. and W. conductor located at Middletown, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Jones, for a few days.—*Walton Times.*

—Mrs. Elizabeth Smiley Halsey died, this afternoon, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Davis, No 7 Orchard street, of general debility, aged ninety years.

—Mr. Wickham T. Young, one of Middletown's best known and most popular young men, who has for several months been employed in Mr. E. Dikeman's drug store in Goshen, is very seriously ill with pneumonia, in that village.

—Mr. John Heins, of New York, formerly barkeeper for Mr. Amos Seaman, has returned to this city and accepted a position with Wood & McCune at the Hotel Elberton.

—Rev. W. H. Mickle, of Newburgh, presiding elder of the Newburgh district of the New York Conference, was a passenger on Ontario & Western train one to-day, bound for Delaware county.

—Mr. Walter C. Many, of Liberty Street, who has been very sick for the past ten days with grip and pneumonia, is still in a critical condition, but his physician, Dr. Douglas, still has hopes of his recovery.

—Mr. Stephen D. Decker, who was conductor on the Crawford branch, some twenty years ago, and who for a number of years has been engaged in the real estate and mining business in Denver, is east for a few weeks' visit among old friends in Middletown and other places in Orange county. Mr. Decker is looking and feeling well and has evidently prospered in his western home.

## NO DANGER OF HEAVIER TAXES.

**Water Rents More Than Sufficient to Meet Interest Charges on the Proposed Bond Issue.**

It is being talked about town, as an argument against voting for the proposed bond issue for increasing the city's water supply, that if the bonds are issued the interest in whole or part will have to be provided for by direct tax.

There is no chance of the city's tax levy being increased if bonds are issued. The water rents are more than ample to meet all present and prospective interest charges.

The books of the Water Commissioners show that last year the water rents collected amounted to $28,000. The payments were: For interest, $9,635; for salaries, $2,036.88; for pumping station, $3,000; for other expenses, $3,700; a total of $17,271.88, leaving a surplus revenue of over $10,000.

The interest charge on $150,000 of bonds, if their issue is authorized, will not exceed $6,000, so that taking no account of increased revenues, which will result from the extension of mains that a more abundant supply will make possible, the present revenues will be sufficient by more than $4,000 to meet the interest on the new bonds. With the new reservoir, the pumping station could be discontinued and $3,000 a year saved, which would make the surplus revenue, after meeting all interest charges and expenses, over $7,000.

In view of these figures there is no reason why any one should vote against more and better water because of a fear of increased taxes.

## FIELD SERVICE FOR MILITIAMEN

**Gen. McAlpin's Plan to Give the National Guard a New Experience.**

Adjutant General McAlpin has issued orders to the commanding officers of the First, Third and Fourth Brigades, in which he informs them that "it is proposed to commence, this season, instruction in field service, consisting in marching, camping, advance and rear guard duty, convoys and out-post duty, with such simple minor tactical problems as the adaptability of the country may permit."

Among the companies suggested for this tour of duty in the Third Brigade, the twenty-fourth, of this city, the fifth and tenth of Newburgh, fourteenth of Kingston, and and fifteenth of Poughkeepsie, are not mentioned.

The above duty will not in any way conflict with the regular tour of duty at the State Camp at Peekskill.


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# THE COMMON COUNCIL.

## PROCEEDINGS OF MONDAY NIGHT'S ADJOURNED SESSION.

**To Ask the Erie to Pay for Hose Destroyed—Sam Beasley's Claim Adjusted—Assessment Rebate Allowed. Wants the Orchard Street School House—Removing the Snow—Tribute to Hon. M. D. Stivers.**

An adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council was held last night. Present, President Dorrance, and Aldermen Bowler, Funnell, Greene, Reed and Sinsabaugh.

Chief Thorpe reported the cutting of two lengths of hose by the Erie milk train on the evening of Feb. 2nd. He stated that he had sent men to notify the tower operator, who refused to hold the train. The value of the hose was $60. J. J. Wood and Emil Martine, of Eagle Hose Co., the men who notified the operator, were present and related the conversation.

On motion of Mr. Sinsabaugh the matter was referred to the Mayor to communicate with the Erie officials.

Action of fire companies and reports of annual elections were confirmed.

A bill of D. H. Everett for $31.78 for one half the cost of line fence between his property and the school house lot, was received.

SAM BEASLEY'S CLAIM ADJUSTED.

Mr. Bowler, as the committee to investigate the damage to Sam Beasley's wagon, reported that he had ascertained that the patrol team came out of the house with the cross lines unfastened and the horses were not under control.

Mr. Sinsabaugh moved that Mr. Beasley be allowed $20. Carried.

A REBATE ON ASSESSMENT ALLOWED.

Mr. Greene reported in the matter of the complaint of H. H. Crane of his assessment on account of the Highland avenue sewer that the Assessors had made an allowance to other properties which had been assessed for the Wickham avenue sewer, but had overlooked Mr. Crane's.

Mr. Sinsabaugh moved that Mr. Crane's check for the difference between his assessment and the amount paid on the Wickham avenue sewer be accepted, and the deficiency be charged to the contingent fund.

COMMISSIONERS TO GET THEIR MONEY.

Mr. Sinsabaugh moved that drafts be ordered drawn in favor of C. V. Puff, H. W. Nanny and J. E. Corwin, Commissioners in the Ogden street extension, and Albert Bull, A. W. Beakes and Daniel Finn, Commissioners, and O. Hulse, stenographer, in the Beacon street extension. Carried.

WANTS THE ORCHARD STREET SCHOOL HOUSE.

A communication from Elder D. L. Conkling offered to lease the Orchard street school house for a mission for a period of five years, he agreeing to put the hall in repair.

Mr. Greene moved that the free use of the upper floor of the building be tendered Mr. Conkling, until it is wanted by the city. Carried.

REMOVING THE SNOW.

The Street Superintendent reported that he had sixteen teams with forty men at work removing snow at an expense of thirty-five cents per hour for teams including twenty men with them and $1 50 per day for the twenty extra men. He wanted instructions and on motion he was directed to use his own discretion.

Mr. Reed moved that the claim of H. W. Purdy for damages be referred to the Law Committee for investigation.

Mr. Green amended to refer to the Sewer Committee. Amendment lost; orginal motion carried.

Mr. Funnell reported that the fire extinguishers on the patrol wagon require new hose. Referred to Fire Committee with power to act.

The President reported that certain repairs to the doors of Waalkill Engine Co. are needed. Referred to Fire Committee.

TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF MR. STIVERS.

The President said that it seemed fitting that the Council should take some action regarding the death of Hon. Moses D. Stivers and offered the following which, on motion of Mr. Green, was unanimously adopted, and a copy ordered sent to the family of the deceased.

In the brief interval since our late adjournment and this session of this body, death has removed the most distinguished representative citizen of our city, Hon. Moses Dunning Stivers, and even now, so sudden was his summons, his mortal remains lie at rest enfolded in the bosom of the great first mother from whom we all came, and to whom we must all return.

The closing of a career, so long and so largely identified with the material development and well-being of this community, so closely in touch with its social life, its hopes and its aspirations, could not but be regarded as a public misfortune; and that it is so regarded, is testified to in mute emblems of a common sorrow, in speech eloquent of sad regret, of glowing eulogy, and a whole people taking part in the observance of the last service paid the lamented dead.

Men die, but their records endure. It is for this that a good name is a better legacy than heaped up riches. It is such treasure as this that Moses D. Stivers has bequeathed his posterity, for it is to be said of him, that, though called to many trusts, he discharged them with such scrupulous fidelity and such nice sense of honor,

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## WILL COST A PRETTY PENNY.

**The Removal of Snow from the Streets an Expensive Job.**

Such a snow storm as we have had recently in addition to the inconveniences it causes is a very expensive thing for Middletown since the advent of the electric road. In the streets where rails are laid, the removal of the snow from the tracks and sidewalks creates such great heaps of snow on the sides of the streets that it renders them impassable for sleighs and the removal of snow becomes necessary.

In this work the Traction Company joins with the city, paying one-half the expense.

Yesterday, Street Superintendent Reed had sixteen teams and forty men at work all day and the snow disappeared from the principal streets very rapidly, being dumped in great mounds on vacant lots about town.

The superintendent pays 35 cents an hour for teams and driver and $1.50 per day for shovelers. The men and teams worked ten hours, making the cost of removing snow for one day alone, about $90.

The snow has been removed entirely from North and James streets and a part of Main street, and is being carted from one side of some of the other streets. It is Mr. Reed's intention to make turnouts at frequent intervals in some of the streets through which the electric road runs where travel is light.

## A SPECULATION IN MILK.

**A Middletown Man's Attempt to Make a Good Thing Out of the Short Supply Caused by the Blizzard.**

As every one at all familiar with the milk market in New York knows "milk was milk" on the day after the blizzard, when so many of the railroads were blockad by snow. More than one person in this city spoke or thought at least of the opportunities for making big profits by rushing milk into New York by express, but so far as we can learn but one man made the attempt to make a stake out of the situation.

This man secured thirty cans of milk which he sent to Jersey City by express, going on the same train himself to arrange for its sale. Arriving there he made known the fact that he had milk for sale and found many willing to buy. His price was five dollars per can but no one was willing to pay it. His first offer was three dollars and fifty cents but he wouldn't look at it, and went shopping for a customer but two dollars was the highest offer he could get. He then looked up his three dollars and fifty cents man but he had changed his mind and would only pay two dollars.

The milk had not been unloaded from the cars, and by the time the man had made up his mind that he could only get $2 a can for it and had accepted such an offer, the cans in which his milk stood formed one of a train bound west and he had barely time to catch it. He and his thirty cans of milk arrived in town together, and he was out his time, his railroad fare and $19 20 for express charges on his milk.

**The Erie's Ocean of Milk.**

The Erie milk train carried such a great quantity of milk to New York, last night, that there was considerable delay in making the trip and the extra work of handling being very considerable it was not until 8 o'clock, this morning, that the train left Jersey City on its return trip. It arrived here at 10:30 a. m., nearly three hours later than its schedule time.


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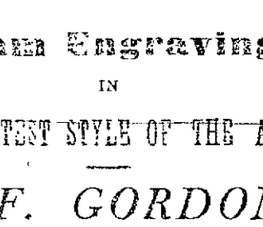

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Keep Miss Hester company.

Morn and eve, in soft gray gown,
Walks she slowly up and down,
With her eyes upon the page
Of some quaint old saint and sage.

What a picture—God alone knows—
Of the simple long ago!
How her very form rebukes
With the scent of its rewukes!

—James Buckham in Youth's Companion.

## MORE SALTY THAN THE DEAD SEA.

**A Ton of Great Salt Lake Water Holds About 314 Pounds of Salt.**

Water of the Great Salt lake varies greatly in its contents of dissolved solids, depending upon the relation between the supply of water through streams and the evaporation. A fair average of total solids dissolved in the water of the lake at its present mean level is from 19 to 20 per cent by weight. But not all of this is common salt, for besides this ingredient the water contains sodium sulphate (glauber salts), magnesium chloride, calcium sulphate (gypsum) and potassium sulphate. A detailed analysis of water taken from the lake in August, 1888, was made by Dr. Talmage. This contained in all 19.56 per cent dissolved solids, of which 15.74 was common salt. Such water would yield of total solid matter 391 pounds to the ton, and of common salt about 314 pounds to the ton.

The Dead sea contains a greater proportion of solid matter dissolved in its waters than does the Great Salt lake. Much discrepancy exists among published accounts of its contents, the fluctuations in composition being due to the same causes that prevail in our lake—viz, the relation between the supply through inflowing streams and loss by evaporation. A sample taken from a depth of 1,110 feet carries 25.4 per cent of dissolved solids. This corresponds to 528 pounds to the ton, but of this only 7.55 per cent was common salt, or 151 pounds per ton.

Therefore, though the Salt lake carries a lower proportion of dissolved solids of all sorts than does the Dead sea, the lake contains more than double the proportion of salt. The chief solid constituent of the Dead sea water is not sodium chloride (common salt), but magnesium chloride. Strictly speaking, the water of our lake is much "brinier" than that of the Dead sea, common salt being the chief solid dissolved in the lake. Nevertheless the Dead sea is much more highly saturated with solids.—Deseret News.

**Meringue Glace "Without Ants."**

A man went into the cafe of a Broadway hotel the other day and sat down on a stool in front of the lunch counter. He had been in many of the eating houses, or "beaneries," in the Bowery and Park row and thought he was familiar with the various terms which waiters employ when repeating a customer's order, but he had a surprise in store for him. When he had finished his luncheon, he told the waiter he would like a meringue glace by way of dessert. The proud and haughty person behind the counter stiffened his spinal column, and in loud and commanding tones said:

"John, meringue glace!"

One of the menials outside the counter sped on the errand with lightning-like rapidity, and after apparently making the delicacy returned with it. On close examination by the customer it was found that numerous small red ants were racing over it. He mentioned the fact to the waiter.

"What," he exclaimed in a horrified tone, "ants? Dear, dear!" Then he called again: "John, John, come here. Look at this! Get a meringue glace without ants!"

"What?" said John in a dazed way, while every man in the room turned his head and snickered.

"Get a meringue glace without ants," repeated the proud and haughty one, with emphasis, "and hurry up about it too."

So John removed the small convention of insects and soon returned with a meringue glace "without ants."—New York Tribune.

**Anticipated.**

Lord Chesterfield, being one day asked by Sir Thomas Robinson, familiarly known as "Long Sir Thomas," to write some verses upon him, produced the epigram:

Until my subject, now shall be my song,
It shall be witty, and it shan't be long.

This individual was noted for being a bore and made himself very troublesome to the Duke of Newcastle, continually calling on the minister, and when told that his grace was gone out he would ask to be admitted to look at the clock, or to play with the monkey, in the hope of seeing the duke. But one day the porter, without waiting for what he had to say, dismissed him with these words, "Sir, his grace has gone out, the clock stands and the monkey is dead."—San Francisco Argonaut.

**Foreign News From Afar.**

By way of a London paper it is learned that an American woman has lately received what must be termed the most original of wedding presents. It is a musical dinner service, of which each plate begins to play a tune when put upon the table. The soup plates are accredited with marches as suiting the temper of the guests at that moment of solemnity, but as dinner progresses and the wine and courses do their enlivening work the harmonies brighten accordingly till at dessert the covers are ringing out the maddest of polkas and galops.

**He Kept Lace.**

"Yes, sir," said the clerk briskly, "we have lace of all kinds. Would you like to see valenciennes or point lace?"

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A complete deliverance of the bumpkin into the hands of the outfitter made him presentable, and then there was the little bachelor dinner at a Fifth avenue hotel given by the swell to all the smart men, who wanted "to meet your cousin, don't you know."

All went merry until the wine list came forth. To be sure, the bumpkin talked too loud and refused to understand any monitory wink, but then he said nothing too badly out of place.

"What wine will you have?" said the cousin, addressing him.

"Haw! Haw! I don't know, Cousin Dick, anything about the wine. You'll have to settle that yourself."

"Shall we begin on a bottle of Sauterne?"

"Lordy, how can I tell! Anything you like!" shouted the red cheeked, bullet headed youth, who couldn't make head or tail of the winks and looks of deadly warning emanating from the swell's eye.

People at adjoining tables pricked up their ears in amused curiosity, while the guests at the table looked a trifle disconcerted at the bumpkin's noise.

"What," said the swell, firmly planting his index finger on the word "Medoc" and glaring at the youth mesmerically, so that he might understand and repeat it, "do you generally take?"

"Usually!" shouted the youth. "Haw, haw, haw! Isn't that great? Usually nothing! Of course! Never see wine. How could I? You know that, Cousin Dick, as well as I do. You never saw wine at home, and now New York makes you forget all about it. Usually! Haw, haw!" and the terrible youth stretched out at full length and roared satisfactorily for about five minutes, while a sense of frozenness stole over his cousin, and the swells looked on in amused pity.

That frozen cousin is dead henceforth to family ties in so far as dining social recruits is concerned, at least.—New York Herald.

## THE FIRST HANSOM CAB.

**Its First Customers Were Brokers, Who Caused It to Become Popular.**

The first hansom cab in America had an interesting history. A reminiscent, voluble, red faced cabby told it late the other night up by the Thirty-third street stand. It was brought over in 1870 or 1871 by John Puteat of the Pacific hotel, in Greenwich street, just above Cortlandt, and it cost £70. Its driver was old John Carter of Liverpool, since deceased, who came to New York in 1861. The original cab that John Carter drove was a handsome one, made very much like those now in use, but it had a claret body and red running gear. An interesting feature of it was that it was bolstered with a pair of patent axles, which were so complicated that Carter was the only man who could grease them.

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**He Knew the Ropes.**

Of one subject even Mr. Freeman would have been forced to admit that Mr. Froude, the historian of the reformation, was a master. Froude was a born sailor and could manage a yacht or yawl in the ugliest sea as if he had been bred to the business. So he was quick to detect any slip that his friends, who were less expert, might make.

The workmanship of "Crookit Meg," he was pleased to say, was as good as could be, with one exception. "If you mean to take us to sea in this questionable little vessel, you must have your sea dialect looked over. The main sheet is a rope, not a sail. The jib is 'loosed' when you get under way and is the first sail taken in when you are coming to your moorings."—Blackwood's Magazine.

**Gustatory.**

"I can't say," remarked the sword swallower as he dispatched a Damascus blade, "that I especially like the taste of foreign foods."

"Their dishes," rejoined the glass eater, who was partaking of a Venetian soup tureen, "are, as a rule, far from pleasing."

The human salamander tossed off three fingers of imported red fire, with a gasoline chaser, but said nothing.—Detroit Tribune.

The great Christian feasts of Christmas, Easter, Ascension and Whitsuntide are said to have been ordered to be observed by the whole church all over the world as early as the close of the first century.

Some of the little bronze images of Chinese deities are supposed to have an antiquity of 2,000 years before Christ.

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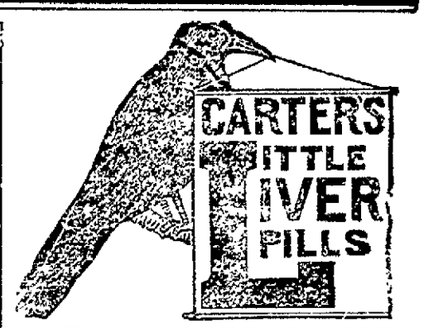


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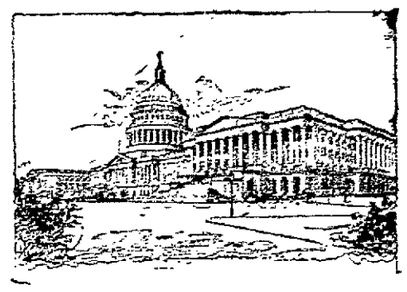

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14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R
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16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning Nov. 25th, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

| NO. | | JAMES ST. | MAIN ST |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12, | Chicago Express | 4:30 a m | |
| 10, | Buffalo Express | 6:01 " | |
| 26, | Middletown Way, T | 6:34 " | 6:46 a m |
| 15, | Orange Co., G. M | 7:10 " | 7:12 " |
| 28, | Mountain Express | 8 23 " | 8:26 " |
| 38, | Del. Valley Ex., G. M. P | 10.21 " | |
| 6, | Way Mail, G. (ex. Sunday) | 12:58 " | 1:00 p m |
| 2, | Chicago Express, T | 2:53 p m | |
| 30, | Way, M. P. G. T. | 4:43 " | 4:45 " |
| 8, | Chicago Limited | 7:12 " | |
| 18, | Milk | 7:58 " | |
| 14, | Wells-Fargo Express | 10:40 " | |
| 8, | Pt. Jervis Local (Sun. only) | 8:23 a m | 8:25 a m |
| 920, | Port Jervis Loca | 5:15 p m | |
| 123, | M. & C. Branch, arrive | | 8:13 a m |
| 130, | M. & C. Branch, arrive | | 5:55 p m |

WEST BOUND.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 17, | Milk | 7:47 a m | |
| 21, | Port Jervis Way | 10:39 " | 10:35 a m |
| 1, | Day Express | 11:25 " | |
| 11, | Port Jervis Local | 1:04 p m | 1:01 p m |
| 33, | Port Jervis Local | 3:40 " | 3:37 " |
| 35, | Chicago Limited | 5:02 " | |
| 27, | Mountain Express | 5:49 " | 5:56 " |
| 15, | Orange County | 6:50 " | 6:45 " |
| 25, | Middletown Way, arrives | 8:05 " | 8:08 " |
| 7, | Buffalo Express | 8:30 " | |
| 20, | Milgrim | 9:40 " | |
| 3, | Albany Express | 11:12 " | |
| 601, | Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only) | 10:45 a m | 10:40 a m |
| 625, | " " " | 3:19 p m | 3:16 p m |
| 617, | " " " | 9.42 " | |
| 101, | M. & C. Branch train | 11:35 a m | 11:40 a m |
| 115, | " " " | 6:55 p m | |

Trains marked with a ‖ run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 606, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. ‡Train No. 8 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters mixed, indicate connections, viz: "G." with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at 4:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12.30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

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| Milk | 7:42 a m |
| Day Express | 10:55 |
| Sullivan County Express | 6:10 p m |
| Pacific Express | 10:50 p m |

SOUTH BOUND.

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| No. 8 | 7:55 a m |
| Atlantic Express | 8:13 |
| Day Express | 4:30 p m |
| Milk | 7:40 |

N. Y., S. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE.

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| Middletown Way | 6:30 a m |
| Accommodation | 8:50 |
| *Mail | 4:45 p m |

ARRIVE.

| | |
|---|---|
| *Mail | 12:13 p m |
| Accommodation | 5:15 " |
| Middletown Way | 7:45 " |

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CHAPTER I.

"George?"

"Yes, dear."

"Do you see this scrap of pink silk?"

"Yes, dear."

"I want ten yards just like it."

"All right, dear. Go and get it."

"But I want you to stop on your way down and have it sent up. Take a good look so you will be sure to get the correct thing."

CHAPTER II.

"Got any pink silk?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I want ten yards."

"What kind, sir?"

"Pink, pink, pink, of course. You didn't think I wanted blue or green pink, did you?"

"No, sir; but it varies in price and quality."

"Send up the best you have and charge it to me. She won't take it if it isn't right."

"Thank you, sir. Anything else today, sir?"

"That's all. Good day."

CHAPTER III.

"George?"

"Yes, dear."

"I'm so glad you didn't forget to send up the silk."

"I'm all right, dear."

"So you are, George, but the silk didn't match."

"Is that so?"

"Quite so. That you sent cost $4 a yard and the kind I wanted is only 39 cents, reduced from 79. But you needn't worry. I've put the dressmaker to work on it, and you can get the other as you go down tomorrow."

Red fire and curtain.—Detroit Free Press.

Mr. Clatterby Crawls.

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Then Mr Clatterby went off to smoke his cigar and said no more. He crawled, as usual.—New York Sun.

For Her Own Use.

He—Have you been doing something to your hair?

She—Oh, yes indeed. It has been entirely restored. What do you think of the decorations?

He—Beautiful.

She—We like them. Then papa got me this piano.

He—Well well, isn't it great?

She—Yes, indeed. This tea table is also new. Don't you think the design is lovely?

He—Fine! And ain't these chairs something rich?

She—Oh, yes. And then we have added to our rugs.

He—So I see. What good taste has been displayed! It is lovely all through. But there's something I miss.

She—What is that?

He—A nice sofa.

She—That's my fault. I've been away, you know.

He—Yes. I know. But what has that to do with it?

She—Mamma said she wanted me to select the sofa myself.—New York World.

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"Algernon, dear!" exclaimed a passenger on a Northwestern suburban train looking out of the window and reading the description on a huge signboard of one of the many enterprising real estate agents, "I don't see anything that looks like Arctic rubbers around here."

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Art For Art's Sake.

The Old Woman—What a charming picture!

The Young Woman—Yes, Mr Dauber that is surely your masterpiece. What is the subject?

The Artist—Subject! How can you expect to find a subject in this age of rapid transit?—Boston Beacon.

The Correct Thing.

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McWorkle's Kindly Theory.

Mrs McWorkle—Did you tell that [illegible] Polly should [illegible]

Mr McWorkle—Sure. Ordered Polly to be [illegible] enough to [illegible] great [illegible] upset.—New York Weekly.

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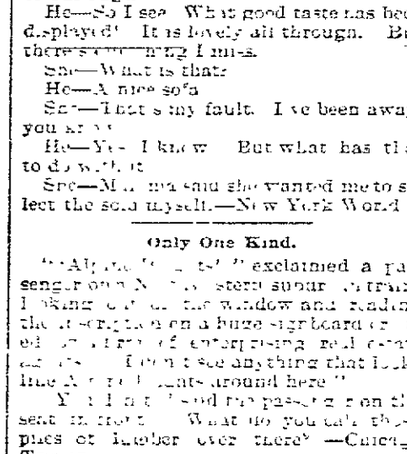

"That's the girl."

"But why do you think they are engaged?"

"Because he has stopped taking her to the theater and goes to church instead."—Life.

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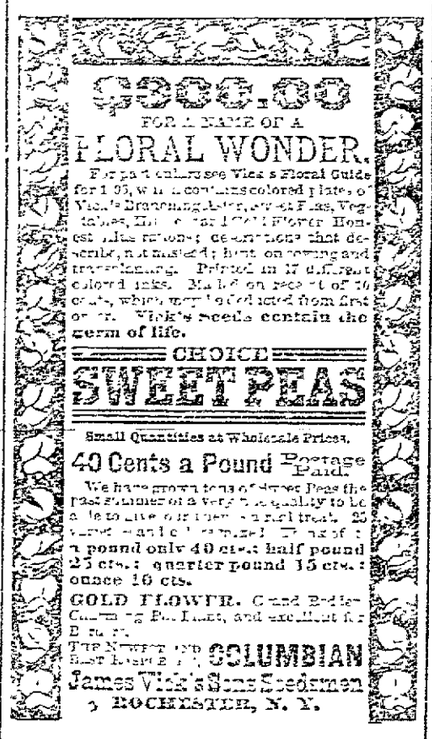


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TIME TABLE.

Adopted Nov. 25th, 1894.

| Eastern Time. | 617 | 625 | 601 | 3 | 29 | 7 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 5 | 39 | 11 | 1 | 21 | 17 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. |
| Leave NEW YORK | 4 30 | 5 00 | 8 40 | 12 00 | 4 00 | 5 30 | 6 00 | 4 30 | 5 00 | 6 00 | 1 00 | 10 30 | 11 00 | 11 00 | 2 00 |
| Jersey City | 4 40 | 5 10 | 8 50 | 12 10 | 4 10 | 5 40 | 6 10 | 4 40 | 5 10 | 6 10 | 1 10 | 10 40 | 11 10 | 11 10 | 2 10 |
| Hoboken | 4 45 | 5 15 | 8 55 | 12 15 | 4 15 | 5 45 | 6 15 | 4 45 | 5 15 | 6 15 | 1 15 | 10 45 | 11 15 | 11 15 | 2 15 |
| Paterson | 5 11 | 5 41 | 9 21 | 12 41 | 4 41 | 6 11 | 6 41 | 5 11 | 5 41 | 6 41 | 1 41 | 11 11 | 11 41 | 11 41 | 2 41 |
| Turners | 5 55 | 6 25 | 10 05 | 1 25 | 5 25 | 6 55 | 7 25 | 5 55 | 6 25 | 7 25 | 2 25 | 11 55 | 12 25 | 12 25 | 3 25 |
| Monroe | 6 02 | 6 32 | 10 12 | 1 32 | 5 32 | 7 02 | 7 32 | 6 02 | 6 32 | 7 32 | 2 32 | 12 02 | 12 32 | 12 32 | 3 32 |
| Greycourt | 6 07 | 6 37 | 10 17 | 1 37 | 5 37 | 7 07 | 7 37 | 6 07 | 6 37 | 7 37 | 2 37 | 12 07 | 12 37 | 12 37 | 3 37 |
| Chester | 6 16 | 6 46 | 10 26 | 1 46 | 5 46 | 7 16 | 7 46 | 6 16 | 6 46 | 7 46 | 2 46 | 12 16 | 12 46 | 12 46 | 3 46 |
| Goshen | 6 21 | 6 51 | 10 31 | 1 51 | 5 51 | 7 21 | 7 51 | 6 21 | 6 51 | 7 51 | 2 51 | 12 21 | 12 51 | 12 51 | 3 51 |
| Middletown | 6 40 | 7 10 | 10 50 | 2 10 | 6 10 | 7 40 | 8 10 | 6 40 | 7 10 | 8 10 | 3 10 | 12 40 | 1 10 | 1 10 | 4 10 |
| Howells | 6 48 | 7 18 | 10 58 | 2 18 | 6 18 | 7 48 | 8 18 | 6 48 | 7 18 | 8 18 | 3 18 | 12 48 | 1 18 | 1 18 | 4 18 |
| Otisville | 6 55 | 7 25 | 11 05 | 2 25 | 6 25 | 7 55 | 8 25 | 6 55 | 7 25 | 8 25 | 3 25 | 12 55 | 1 25 | 1 25 | 4 25 |
| Port Jervis | 7 10 | 7 40 | 11 20 | 2 40 | 6 40 | 8 10 | 8 40 | 7 10 | 7 40 | 8 40 | 3 40 | 1 10 | 1 40 | 1 40 | 4 40 |
| Lv. East Time. | 7 15 | 7 45 | 11 25 | 2 45 | 6 45 | 8 15 | 8 45 | 7 15 | 7 45 | 8 45 | 3 45 | 1 15 | 1 45 | 1 45 | 4 45 |
| Arr. CHICAGO Cent. Time. | 8 00 | 8 30 | 4 00 | 6 00 | 9 00 | 11 00 | 11 30 | 8 00 | 8 30 | 11 30 | 6 30 | 4 00 | 4 30 | 4 30 | 7 30 |
| | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. |

| Eastern Time. | 606 | 620 | 12 | 10 | 26 | 16 | 28 | 38 | 6 | 2 | 30 | 8 | 18 | 14 | 606 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. |
| Leave NEW YORK | 8 00 | 4 00 | 6 30 | 8 00 | 8 40 | 9 00 | 10 30 | 12 00 | 3 30 | 4 30 | 7 00 | 9 00 | 10 15 | 12 15 | 8 00 |
| Jersey City | 8 10 | 4 10 | 6 40 | 8 10 | 8 50 | 9 10 | 10 40 | 12 10 | 3 40 | 4 40 | 7 10 | 9 10 | 10 25 | 12 25 | 8 10 |
| Hoboken | 8 15 | 4 15 | 6 45 | 8 15 | 8 55 | 9 15 | 10 45 | 12 15 | 3 45 | 4 45 | 7 15 | 9 15 | 10 30 | 12 30 | 8 15 |
| Paterson | 8 41 | 4 41 | 7 11 | 8 41 | 9 21 | 9 41 | 11 11 | 12 41 | 4 11 | 5 11 | 7 41 | 9 41 | 10 56 | 12 56 | 8 41 |
| Turners | 9 25 | 5 25 | 7 55 | 9 25 | 10 05 | 10 25 | 11 55 | 1 25 | 4 55 | 5 55 | 8 25 | 10 25 | 11 40 | 1 40 | 9 25 |
| Monroe | 9 32 | 5 32 | 8 02 | 9 32 | 10 12 | 10 32 | 12 02 | 1 32 | 5 02 | 6 02 | 8 32 | 10 32 | 11 47 | 1 47 | 9 32 |
| Greycourt | 9 37 | 5 37 | 8 07 | 9 37 | 10 17 | 10 37 | 12 07 | 1 37 | 5 07 | 6 07 | 8 37 | 10 37 | 11 52 | 1 52 | 9 37 |
| Chester | 9 46 | 5 46 | 8 16 | 9 46 | 10 26 | 10 46 | 12 16 | 1 46 | 5 16 | 6 16 | 8 46 | 10 46 | 12 01 | 2 01 | 9 46 |
| Goshen | 9 51 | 5 51 | 8 21 | 9 51 | 10 31 | 10 51 | 12 21 | 1 51 | 5 21 | 6 21 | 8 51 | 10 51 | 12 06 | 2 06 | 9 51 |
| Middletown | 10 10 | 6 10 | 8 40 | 10 10 | 10 50 | 11 10 | 12 40 | 2 10 | 5 40 | 6 40 | 9 10 | 11 10 | 12 25 | 2 25 | 10 10 |
| Howells | 10 18 | 6 18 | 8 48 | 10 18 | 10 58 | 11 18 | 12 48 | 2 18 | 5 48 | 6 48 | 9 18 | 11 18 | 12 33 | 2 33 | 10 18 |
| Otisville | 10 25 | 6 25 | 8 55 | 10 25 | 11 05 | 11 25 | 12 55 | 2 25 | 5 55 | 6 55 | 9 25 | 11 25 | 12 40 | 2 40 | 10 25 |
| Port Jervis | 10 40 | 6 40 | 9 10 | 10 40 | 11 20 | 11 40 | 1 10 | 2 40 | 6 10 | 7 10 | 9 40 | 11 40 | 12 55 | 2 55 | 10 40 |
| Lv. East Time. | 10 45 | 6 45 | 9 15 | 10 45 | 11 25 | 11 45 | 1 15 | 2 45 | 6 15 | 7 15 | 9 45 | 11 45 | 1 00 | 3 00 | 10 45 |
| Arr. CHICAGO Cent. Time. | 1 30 | 9 30 | 11 30 | 1 30 | 4 00 | 4 30 | 6 00 | 7 30 | 11 30 | 11 30 | 2 30 | 4 30 | 5 30 | 7 30 | 1 30 |
| | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |

*Daily. ‖Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b, Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main st., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m. daily, and 6:55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., except Sunday, 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:25 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily, 6:50 p. m. daily.

Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., except Sunday, 10:53 a. m. daily, and 8:00 p. m. daily. Train 30 and 2 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m. except Sunday, 11:10 a. m. daily, 1:32 and 6:25 p. m. except Sunday, 5:50 p. m. Sundays only.

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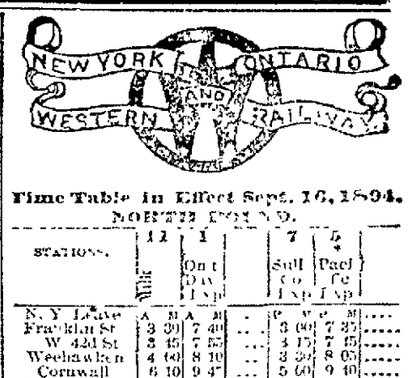


Time Table in Effect Sept. 16, 1894.

NORTH AND WEST.

| STATIONS. | 12 Milk | 1 Ontario Day Exp | 7 Sullivan Co Exp | 5 Pacific Exp |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A M | P M | P M | P M |
| N. Y. Liberty | | 3 00 | 7 40 | |
| Franklin St | 3 30 | 3 00 | 7 35 | |
| W. 42d St | 3 45 | 3 15 | 7 45 | |
| Weehawken | 4 00 | 3 30 | 8 05 | |
| Cornwall | 6 10 | 5 00 | 9 40 | |
| W. Cornwall | 6 22 | 5 08 | 9 48 | |
| Orr's Mills | 6 25 | 5 11 | 9 50 | |
| Little Britain | 6 41 | 5 27 | 10 02 | |
| Burnside | 7 00 | 5 45 | 10 15 | |
| Campbell Hall | 7 11 | 5 55 | 10 25 | |
| Stony Ford | 7 21 | 6 05 | 10 35 | |
| Middletown | | 6 20 | 10 50 | |
| Main St | 7 47 | 6 45 | 11 15 | |
| Middletown | 7 50 | 6 50 | 11 20 | |
| Middletown | 8 45 | 7 45 | 12 15 | |
| Winterton | 9 13 | 8 13 | 1 02 | |
| Bloomingburgh | 9 25 | 8 25 | 1 13 | |
| Wurtsboro | 9 33 | 8 33 | 1 21 | |
| Summitville | 9 38 | 8 38 | 1 26 | |
| Ellenville | 9 45 | 8 45 | 1 33 | |
| Fallsburgh | 10 15 | 9 15 | 2 03 | |
| Hurleyville | 10 00 | 9 00 | 1 48 | |
| Liberty Falls | 10 17 | 9 17 | 2 05 | |
| Liberty | 10 20 | 9 20 | 2 08 | |
| Parksville | 10 45 | 9 45 | 2 33 | |
| Livingston Manor | 11 00 | 10 00 | 2 48 | |
| Rockland | 11 05 | 10 05 | 2 53 | |
| Hancock Junction | | | 3 00 | |
| Walton | | | 3 45 | |
| Delhi | | | 4 30 | |
| Sidney | | | 5 00 | |
| New Berlin | | | 5 40 | |
| N'rwich | 4 20 | | 6 50 | 1 25 |
| Oneid' Castle | 5 15 | | 7 45 | 2 20 |
| Oneida | 5 35 | | 8 05 | 2 40 |
| Fulton | 6 05 | | 8 35 | 3 10 |
| Oswego | 6 30 | | 9 00 | 3 35 |

SOUTH AND EAST.

| STATIONS. | 6 Ac Exp | 42 Norwich Exp | 14 Delhi Exp | 50 Sidney Exp | 2 Day Exp | 28 Mail |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A M | P M | P M | P M | P M | P M |
| Oswego | 10 05 | 2 55 | | 7 00 | 9 55 | |
| Oneida | 10 25 | 5 00 | | 12 35 | 8 40 | |
| Oneid' Castle | 10 45 | 5 20 | | 1 10 | 8 50 | |
| Norwich | 11 35 | 6 10 | | 2 00 | 9 40 | |
| New Berlin | | | | | | |
| Sidney | 3 20 | | | 5 40 | 11 20 | 9 40 |
| Delhi | | | | | 11 30 | |
| Walton | 4 15 | | | 8 15 | 12 25 | 11 25 |
| Hancock Junction | 5 00 | | | 8 | 1 20 | 12 |
| Rockland | 5 55 | | | | 2 10 | P M |
| Livingston Manor | 6 15 | | | 9 30 | 2 30 | 3 00 |
| Parksville | | | | 9 50 | 2 50 | 3 15 |
| Liberty | 6 39 | | | 9 55 | 2 55 | 3 35 |
| Liberty Falls | | | | 10 00 | 3 00 | 3 43 |
| Hurleyville | | | | 10 15 | 3 15 | 4 04 |
| Fallsburgh | 7 00 | | | 10 30 | 3 30 | 4 12 |
| Centreville | | | | 10 45 | 3 45 | 4 22 |
| Mount'n Dale | | | | 10 55 | 3 55 | 4 30 |
| Ellenville | | | | 11 00 | 4 00 | |
| Summitville | 7 35 | | | 11 40 | 4 40 | 5 15 |
| Wurtsboro | | | | 11 55 | 4 55 | 5 32 |
| Bloom'burgh | | | | 12 02 | 5 02 | 5 42 |
| Winterton | | | | 12 14 | 5 14 | 5 54 |
| Middletown | 8 02 | | | 12 40 | 5 40 | 6 19 |
| Middletown | 8 12 | | | 12 50 | 5 50 | 6 45 |
| Main St | 8 11 | | | 12 49 | 5 49 | 6 47 |
| Stony Ford | | | | 12 51 | 5 51 | 7 15 |
| Campbell Hall | | | | 12 55 | 5 55 | 7 20 |
| Burnside | | | | 1 00 | 6 00 | 7 25 |
| Little Britain | | | | 1 08 | 6 08 | 7 33 |
| Orr's Mills | 8 51 | | | 1 18 | 6 18 | 7 43 |
| W. Cornwall | | | | 1 20 | 6 20 | 7 45 |
| Cornwall | 9 03 | | | 1 32 | 6 32 | 7 57 |
| Weehawken | 10 30 | | | 3 00 | 7 55 | 10 40 |
| New York | | | | | | |
| W. 42d St | 10 40 | | | 3 10 | 8 05 | |
| N. Y. Liberty | | | | | | |
| Fkln St | 10 55 | | | 3 25 | 8 20 | 11 15 |
| | A M | | | P M | P M | P M |

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sundays.

f. Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

t. Stop for meals.

Trains leave Hancock Junction 6:00 a. m. and 2:55 p. m., for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10:55 a. m. and 6:10 p. m. for Hancock Junction.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9:55 and 11:30 a. m., 3:30 and 11:55 p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6:45 and 10:50 a. m. 3:10 and 8:15 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7:20 and 11:20 a. m., 5:15 p. m. Sundays only 10:00 a. m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8:15 a. m., 2:32 and 8:30 p. m. Sundays only 8:30 p. m.

For further particulars see folders.

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No. 5 leaves Scranton [illegible] 10:00 p. m.

No. 6 leaves Binghamton [illegible] 12:15 p. m.

No. 6 leaves Oswego [illegible] 12:15 p. m.

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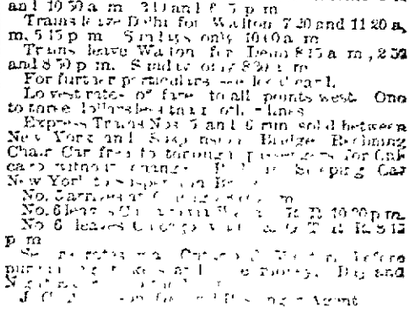

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## SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

### AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

**A Few Last Words About the Blizzard—The Great Storm Half a Century Hence—A Joke on the Bear—A Journalistic Curiosity from Nebraska's Starvation Belt—Misfit and Thirty Day Obituaries.**

The great blizzard is still the principal topic of conversation whenever men meet, and it will last for several days before interest in it is lost. It is one of the traditions of the newspaper business that people like to read about whatever they are talking about, and assuming that this is true, there is no egotism in taking for granted that a few ideas that occurred to me as I floundered through the snow drifts, may find interested readers.

We make no provision for such climatic conditions as prevailed Friday and Saturday, and when such weather swoops down upon us, our whole domestic system goes to pieces before it. Not one house in a hundred is so constructed or has heating apparatus of sufficient capacity to be comfortably habitable, when we are given a taste of the weather of Labrador or Kamschatka. The amount of discomfort endured in homes that are usually comfortable can hardly be imagined, while in many old and poorly built houses, fires availed but little and there was much real suffering.

In the dim and distant future, when the boys and girls of to-day are grandfathers and grandmothers, they will babble to their children and their children's children, of the great blizzard of 1895 and cite it as a proof that the weather of the twentieth century isn't like the weather they used to have. And when, in 1950, the male gossips of that time gather on the cracker barrels about the electric heaters in the grocery stores, and prattle about the old-fashioned winters that they used to know, they will cite the great storm of Feb. 8th, 1895, as proof of the rigors of winter when the world was younger and, if any latter day skeptic dares question the accuracy of their statements, I can see one of the old-timers reaching out to the raisin box, helping himself to a handful and, as he munches them, demolishing the doubter by saying, "Why, in the great storm of the winter of 1895, it was so cold that the ink in the printing offices froze up and they couldn't print any papers. The like of it never happened before or since." It's very clear to me that the newspapers when they suspended publication, last Friday, did a great thing for the grocery store gossips of the latter half of the twentieth century.

Has it occurred to you what a huge joke the blizzard was on that idiot of a bear, who came out of snug winter quarters a week ago, on Candlemas day, and because he didn't see his shadow stayed out, assuming that winter was over? If bears can kick themselves, how vigorously the old fellow must have exercised the muscles of his legs, last Friday while the zeroish zephyrs sent the snow into his ears and eyes. If the bear is honest with himself, he will admit that he don't know as much about the weather as DeVoe, and further than that, a bear cannot possibly go in the way of self-abnegation.

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There came to the Argus office, today, a journalistic curiosity, the *Weekly Tribune*, published at Calloway, Neb., in the heart of the section impoverished by last summer's drouth, which caused the failure of all crops. The *Tribune*, which boasts at the top of its first and only page that it is the "only Democratic paper in the county," is printed on the back of a piece of cheap wall paper, 20x15 inches in size. The editor, in an appeal to "brother printers," says, "Aid is being sent here for the farmers, but one can't issue on aid flour or a piece side meat and having run all our white paper thrust, we are using up the wall paper given us which is about exhausted and only the office towel is left which has not been washed for seven years. So ask our brother printers to consider our situation with a family to support with nothing coming in, and we know their ever generous disposition will see some way to contribute a little paper or a couple of hours' work to keep my paper going for the good it will do the outside world in telling them how this afflicted drouth stricken district is getting along, also to enable us to get shoes and proper raps for our wife and four children."

Rather ragged English and that "my paper" and "our wife" is charming in its naivete, but it is too much to expect much attention to be paid to the graces of composition by an editor who sets up his own articles, as he says, "with his toes out and the thermometer down to zero with a fire of old exchanges." The *Tribune* editor has, however, the ability to express himself forcibly and vigorously, if not elegantly, for in writing of the bill for the relief of the drouth sufferers, which provides that counties may issue bonds, and with the proceeds buy seed and sell to farmers, taking their notes, which are made a first lien on their land, he says: "So they don't give you a bushel of seed. This is h—l of a relief to help a man out who can't feed his family even, yet some papers howl 'Nebraska can take care of her own poor' when the state is so poor and stingy to even give the poor devils a few bushels of seed."

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A great many people have wondered who Dr. Beattie was "alluding at" in the reference which he made to misfit and thirty day obituaries in his address at Mr. Stivers's funeral. Those who profess to know say the reference was to Judge Taylor, of Newburgh, who was praised without stint at the time of his death and execrated by nearly all a few days later, when an examination of his affairs showed that his life had been a hollow sham and that he had been false to every trust committed to his keeping.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES

**Annual Meeting of the Board—Election of Officers—Treasurer's Report.**

The annual meeting of the Board of Representatives of the Middletown Fire Department was held in the parlors of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, last evening. The principal business of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year, and resulted as follows:

President—James B. Carson, of Excelsior H & L. Co.

Vice-President—M. H. Dugan, of Monhagen Hose Co.

Secretary—C. C. Foss, of Eagle Hose Co.

Treasurer—Ira M. Corwin, of Eagle Hose Co.

Collector—C. J. Thayer, of Phœnix Engine Co.

Visiting Committee—J. C. Degnan, of Monhagen Hose Co., John Walsh, of McQuoid Engine Co. and J. G Picot, of Ontario Hose Co.

Finance Committee — Archibald Taylor, of Excelsior H & L Co., C. J. Thayer, of Phœnix Engine Co. and Joshua Hirst, of Wallkill Engine Co.

The report of the Treasurer, Ira M. Corwin, was read, as follows:

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. 7, '94 | Amount of cash on hand | $ 812 47 |
| Feb. 6 '95 | Amount of interest received last year on investments | 584 56 |
| " | Amount of premium received from agents | 545 46 |
| " | Amount of fines collected | 6 00 |
| " | Amount paid in on investments | 750 00 |
| " | Amount received from note discounted | 130 00 |
| Total | | $2,828 45 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Feb 13, '94 | Paid Treas bill for 1893 | $ 25 00 |
| Feb 16, '94 | Paid Sec bill for 1893 | 10 00 |
| May 17, '94 | Paid J S Sutcliffe, 1 week's disability | 12 00 |
| May 23, 94 | Paid Sec State Firemen's Association dues | 2 00 |
| July 28, 94 | Paid discount on note | 2 02 |
| " | Paid for investment on bond and mortgage | 1,800 00 |
| Jan 31, '95 | Paid for postage stamps and cards | 30 |
| Feb 5, '95 | Paid for large envelopes and paper | 25 |
| | Paid note in bank | 130 00 |
| Total | | $1 981 57 |
| To cash balance on hand | | $ 846 88 |
| Amount invested bond and mortgage | | $10 850 00 |
| Balance on hand, M & M Bank | | 846 86 |
| Amount invested furniture, fixtures, etc | | 77 19 |
| Feb 6, '95 | Total of assets | $11 774 05 |

IRA M CORWIN, Treasurer.

The claim of Alonzo Wilson, of Phœnix Engine Company, for twenty dollars for ten days' disability resulting from injuries received at the Schwartz fire on South street, last July, was allowed after considerable discussion.

At the election of officers, held by Phœnix Engine Company, last Monday, Mr. S. G. Ogden refused a reelection and Mr. E. A. Lorentz was elected in his place. After the election it was discovered that Mr. Ogden's term does not expire until next year, and that Mr. Ira S. Clausen had unintentionally been "turned down." As Mr. Clausen is a valuable member of the Board the matter will in all probability be adjusted by the resignation of one of the other gentlemen.

After the meeting the Board adjourned to Totten's restaurant where supper was served.

**Vreeland's Minstrels at the Casino.**

You will see a wealth of pleasing surprises, a score of startling novelties, a cluster of brilliant gems, elegant costumes and drapings of silks and satins with Vreeland's minstrels at the Casino, Saturday evening, Feb. 16th.

**The Marksman's Badge Contest.**

Private E. E. Bush won the marksman's badge at the Armory range, last evening, with a score of 56 out of a possible 75, at 100, 200 and 300 yards. The sharpshooter's match will be held during the latter part of the week.

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## THE COMMON COUNCIL

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as to earn for himself praise in every such relation.

It is most fitting that this representative body of the people of the city in which this honored citizen lived and died, should add its voice to the common meed of praise of a life so admirably rounded out in all its parts; that it should extend its condolence to the family of the deceased and that it order this minute of its proceedings spread upon its records, there to remain in testimony for all time.

On motion of Mr. Greene it was ordered that the assessments paid on account of the South street sewer, by C. H. Smith and J. Charles Schwartz, in consideration of their deed of land to the city for a park, said deed having been executed and delivered, be returned to them.

On motion of Mr. Sinsabaugh the clerk was directed to have blank orders for goods printed for the use of committees and merchants be notified to sell no goods on account of the city except upon presentation of such orders.

The following bills were audited:

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| Charles Mapes, repairs Mt. Hope Hill | $10 00 |
| F. M. Pronk | 6 80 |
| Slauson & Boyd, poll lists, etc. | 30 90 |
| Otis Hardenberg | 50 00 |
| Gavin & Nevin | 15 20 |
| McMonagle & Rogers | 1 45 |
| C. VanBenthuysen | 1 75 |
| P. Scully | 95 |
| Geo. Wickham, sand | 107 00 |
| John Collins, carting | 10 00 |
| D. A. Ketcham, coal | 10 20 |
| Egbert Crans | 2 58 |
| C. W. Wilkes, coal | 20 80 |
| Samuel Todd, janitor | 31 00 |
| C. S. Abrams | 1 75 |
| Spooner & Ayers | 10 95 |
| Brink & Clark | 20 17 |
| Chas. Wolff, rent | 18 00 |
| E. E. Wood, manure | 10 00 |
| A. H. Reed, salary | 50 00 |
| Naphtha Co. | 316 39 |
| Electric Light Co | 351 78 |
| Gas Co | 212 80 |
| Crane & Swayze, coal | 86 52 |
| S. N. McCarter & Co., upholstery | 3 00 |
| Pay roll, two weeks | 95 60 |
| Police, two weeks | 282 35 |

## CLEAN YOUR WALKS

**Police Serving Notices on Negligent Property Owners.**

The police were kept busy, yesterday and to-day, serving notices upon property owners and occupants of houses ordering them to clean their sidewalks. There are some people in town upon whom at least a dozen notices have been served this winter, and still they do not clean their walks. The two-dollar-a-day penalty ordinance seems to be a dead-letter, as its provisions are never enforced. One or two examples might have a salutary effect.

## THE O. AND W. OPEN.

**Trains Running to Oneida and on the Scranton Branch.**

The Ontario & Western Railroad has succeeded in opening its road as far as Oneida, and also the Scranton Branch.

Trains 5 and 6, however, were not run last night, but it is thought they will be started to-day. All other trains were run on schedule time today.

The officials of the road are greatly pleased with the work of the rotary plow.

**Terrible Experience of Susquehanna Railroad Men While Fighting Snow.**

Conductor William Bush and Engineer Smith, of a Susquehanna coal train, which was derailed, Friday, while bucking a snow drift near Swartswood, had a terrible experience. Mr. Bush was so completely overcome by the cold that he laid down in the snow and lost consciousness. His feet, hands and ears were frozen and he may lose his hands. Engineer Smith had to be carried from his engine cab, and his feet were badly frozen.

**The Schubert Club Concert.**

The Schubert Club concert to be given next Tuesday evening, Feb. 19th, in the First Baptist Church, promises to be a fine musical treat. The club has secured the aid of the Beethoven String Quartette, of New York city. The following is what the New York *Herald* says of this famous club:

The work of the quartette was remarkable, nay, surprisingly good. It was what quartette playing should be, poetic, refined, delicate and perfectly balanced.

Salt rheum with its intense itching, dry, hot skin is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood.

For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence.

## VOTING ON THE WATER QUESTION.

**The Polls Opened at 2 O'clock With Crowds in Waiting—Evidences That a Large Vote Will Be Cast and the Proposition Defeated.**

When the polls were opened in the Council Chamber at 2 o'clock, this afternoon, to give taxpayers an opportunity to vote upon the question of an increased water supply, there was a crowd in waiting and as fast as the ballots could be received and names recorded by the inspectors taxpayers voted and made room for others ready to take their places.

There was a constant stream passing in and out of the chamber all the afternoon. It was an orderly crowd of voters. There was little if any electioneering. Everybody evidently had come out with their minds fully made up, and, having accomplished the object of their visit, left as quietly as they came.

The ballots "For" and "Against" were laid in separate piles on a table in front of the inspectors where voters could help themselves.

It was evident at a glance that the pile bearing the word "against" decreased much more rapidly than the other and at a rate during the first hour that warrants an estimate of a majority of at least three to one against the proposition, unless it should be that the opponents of the scheme were more anxious to get their ballots in early than those on the other side.

At 4 o'clock about 200 votes had been cast.

## A RETURN TO FIRST PRINCIPLES.

**Delivering Mails in Sleighs Along the Snow Bound Crawford Branch.**

The blockade on the Crawford Branch of the Erie Railroad caused an accumulation of mail in the Middletown post office, which Postmaster Elwood sent out in sleighs, yesterday, for distribution at the several villages along the line of that railroad.

To-day Newton Higby and Postmaster William T. Wallace, of Pine Bush, drove in with the mail, and took out to-day's mails and a large supply of New York papers for the snowed in people of Pine Bush and vicinity.

**Four Funerals at St Joseph's Church**

There were four funerals at St. Joseph's Church, yesterday—those of J. Francis Ryan, Herman P. Butts, Mary O'Neill and a child of John Sheerin. It was necessary to shovel a roadway into the cemetery and paths to the graves, and the bodies of the three first named remained in the church until 3 p. m. before they could be buried.

**Valuable Birthday Gifts.**

Vera Palmer, the ten-year-old daughter of Jerome B. Palmer, celebrated her tenth birthday, a few days ago, and was the recipient of more valuable presents than usually fall to the lot of ten-year-old girls. Her father gave her a piano and her grandmother, Mrs. B. G. Palmer, ten new $10 bills.

**Electric Road Open to Goshen.**

The electric road was opened to Goshen, last night, the first car reaching that village at 3 o'clock.

**Advertised Letter List.**

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown post office for the week ending Feb. 11th:

LADIES.

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| Batchelor, Mrs. M. E. and daughter | Harris, Julia Mrs. |
| Brind, Miss Mary | Jones, Miss Grace |
| Gray, Mrs. Anna D. | Jones, Mrs J. C. |
| | Smith, Miss Lizzie |

GENTLEMEN.

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| Clark, James T., care Commercial Advertiser | Merritt, M. G. |
| Carpenter, E. E. | Reed, James |
| Ferguson, Nelson | White & Payne |
| Gibning, John | Wilson, John H. |
| Kniffin, Frederick | Wessell, J. H. |
| Morgan, W. E | Youngs, E & O. W. |

C. L. ELWOOD, Postmaster.

**From a Methodist Minister.**

CLARKSON, N. Y., Nov. 1892.—"I have used Gilmore's Aromatic Wine in my family, and for a debilitated system there is nothing to equal it in restoring vigor and strength, and for female weakness it stands without a rival. I most heartily recommend it to all who may be suffering from chronic malaria or biliousness."—Rev. E. J. Whitney. All druggists sell Gilmore's Aromatic Wine at $1 00 per bottle. 3

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Essence.

When You Want Drugs
SEE US.
We May Be Able to Save You Some Money.
TUTHILL'S PHARMACY, 27 JAMES ST

WRAPPERS, WRAPPERS

We are the Recognized Leaders in Wrappers, both for Prices and Styles

Why Make Your Own When You Can Buy One from Us for so Little Money?

Just received new lot of Outing Flannel Wrappers to sell for $1.49

Very best grade Calico Wrappers, waist lined, to sell for... 98c

Don't delay, as they will sell quickly and cannot be replaced.

The New York Store
The Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown.
63 North Street, Next to Postoffice.

ONE CENT A WORD
for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

GOOD Carpenters wanted to go to Washingtonville. Apply at once to LINDSEY & CO. 1t

CASH Paid for fresh eggs at the Dairy Kitchen, 113 North street 1td

FOR Rent from April 1st House and barn, No 7 Benton avenue. House contains nine rooms, range and bath. Apply to 55dtf C J EVERSON, 4 King street.

FIVE Rooms, 16 Grant street, to rent immediately. Enquire at 109 Academy Ave 55d2

TRAVELERS Wanted—Faithful gentleman or lady to travel representing established house. Salary $65 monthly and expenses with increase. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope 5,d2mApr12 THE DOMINION CO., Chicago

SITUATION WANTED—Any kind; worked one year at steam fitting and repairing machinery. JOHN McLEAN, 53dtf 12 East Main street

TO LET—Large print shop, on Canal street. Rent payable in painting. 51dtf H. EVERETT, 17 Orchard St.

TO LET—Furnished room, heated, with or without board. Call at ARGUS office or 44 Houston avenue 44dtf

THE Homestead Building and Loan Association—Regular meetings for collection of dues Monday and Tuesday evenings. 53dtf H J LEONARD, Secretary.

BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at McINTYRE'S, No 42 North street

FOR RENT—Five nice rooms in the Kirby house, foot of Mill street. Enquire of the executors, Squire Lee, Store of I. B. & Taylor or D. L. Conkling, First National Bank 53, td

FOR Rent—The building recently occupied by S. J. Masterson & Son, in Howells, N. Y., from April 1st. Two rooms, suitable for any business. Address 52dodtf DR. J. O. DAVIS, Howells, N. Y.

TO the 1st of March, the City Tailor will give a reduction of 10 per cent and over, for cash, on all heavy weight goods. New spring goods are coming in. Prices in accordance with the tariff 51d4t CHAS. H. EMDE, 26 North street.

ON Receipt of postal card, CRAIG will send for your shoe repairing and deliver same day if required. We make rubber patching a specialty NO. 22 WEST MAIN STREET.

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150. For further particulars enquire at No 53 East avenue 38dtf

MONEY to loan on first morgage city property S. M. Boyd, attorney at law, 56 North street. 23,dtf

WANTED—$1,200 on bond and mortgage, first class. EDWIN S MERRILL, Attorney at Law, No 16 East Main Street

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues. Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1 50 per day 1d

REDUCTIONS in prices at the City Tailor's, 26 North street, on all orders for fall and winter goods for thirty days, to make room for spring goods. C. H EMDE, 26 North street

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at 23dtf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!

Now we are ready to do business with all. A full line of first class Groceries, Provisions, Fruits and Vegetables at

MRS. M'CONNELL'S CASH STORE,
12 North St., Osburn & Brown's Old Stand
51dtt

IF YOU WANT
Crockery, Glassware, Household Utensils or anything in the variety line, call at
HAMILTON'S, 29 JAMES ST.

NEW TO DAY.

Shrewd Multitudes

patronize us for multitudinous reasons. Here are some of them:

Sewing silk, all colors, 2c a spool.

Elastic webbing 2c a yard.

Ladies' fleece lined gloves 17c.

Men's fleece lined gloves 12c.

Children's cashmere gloves 15c

Handsome stamped splashers 19 and 23c.

Handsome stamped bureau scarfs, 16x50, 39c

Handsome stamped pillow shams 15c a pair.

100 infants' ribbed fleece lined vests 10c

Boys' mittens, leather palm, 19c.

Best bleached twilled toweling 3½c a yard.

Cream domet flannel 4c a yd

No crayons, no bonds, no periodicals with these goods.

THE ECONOMY STORE,
114 North St.

YES! IT'S NEW BUSINESS.

That's why we invest in printer's ink. Let you know we're here.

A Handsome White and Gold China Tea Set!

the only one of that kind,

$7.50 -:- 56 PIECES!

Glycerine, Honey, Castile Soaps 5 cents, Sewing Machine Oil, large sized bottles 5c.; Lemon Extract 10c., 18 small boxes Matches 5 cents, Tack Hammers 5 cents, Judd's Baking Powder first class 15 cents a pound, a lot of first quality Table Oil Cloth as low as the lowest.

E. A. HAMILTON,
50d6 NO. 29 JAMES ST.

MUSICAL.

W. B. ATWOOD,
Voice Culture. Piano and Organ Lessons.
STUDIO, Central Building
RAILROAD AVE AND NORTH ST.
20dlyDec31

Big Drive in Box Paper!

One lot **Fancy Note Paper,** 24 sheets paper and 24 envelopes, in box, for 15c., reduced from 25c.

The quantity is limited, so step lively if you wish any.

See our west window.

**Other bargains to numerous too mention.**

A. T. SQUIER,
5 West Main street, Middletown